

STRIKER KILLED, SHERIFF SHOT, IN RIOT AT WHEELING

Shots Exchanged When Posse Opposes Attempt to Prevent Return of Workmen.

OFFICER IS BADLY HURT

Marshall County Official Now in Critical Condition in Wheeling Hospital; State Police Mobilized at Charleston for Duty at the Plant.

WHEELING, W. Va., Dec. 1.—A steel striker was killed, Sheriff W. E. Clayton of Marshall county shot and seriously wounded and a deputy and another striker suffered gunshot wounds in a riot when a mob of strikers and their sympathizers clashed with the sheriff's posse at the gate of the Riverside mill of the National Tube company at Benwood, near here, this morning.

Sheriff Clayton with five deputies was summoned when the Benwood authorities were unable to handle the crowd which they said was attempting to prevent workmen from entering the plant. The sheriff formed a posse and the mob retreated into a subway. At that moment a street car stopped at the plant gate and discharged workmen. As the men started to enter the plant, the mob attacked them with bricks and stones. The sheriff and deputies then opened fire, which was returned by members of the crowd. When the posse had driven back the mob, the sheriff was shot in the chest. Deputy Sheriff McCordell and John Mahanew, another striker, also were shot. At a hospital here, where Clayton was brought, it was said his condition was critical.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Dec. 1.—A detachment of state police is being hurriedly mobilized for duty at Benwood, near Wheeling, where rioting broke out this morning when workmen attempted to return to work in the Riverside mills at that place, according to a statement by Governor Cornwell. The state police are being sent on request of Sheriff Clayton of Marshall county, who was shot and seriously injured in the disorder at Benwood this morning.

WHEELING CUT IN TRAIN SERVICE. PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 1.—Plans for a 50 per cent reduction of passenger train service if curtailment becomes necessary because of a shortage of coal are being made by the Pennsylvania railroad.

Officials of the train performance bureau in whose hands the plans are being worked out here said the city of Philadelphia has decided on to begin taking off trains.

So far the Pennsylvania lines have been able to get enough coal to keep traffic moving despite the strike. It has been necessary, however, to seize coal in transit on some occasions, and many complaints of such seizure have been received.

ACTIVITY AT FUME

From Board Vessels in Preparation for Further Occupation.

ALLEGRA, Dec. 1.—Great activity prevails at Fume. A destroyer left there Saturday, presumably for Agaña, according to the Serbian press bureau. The merchant ship Adria has been loaded by 11,000 stock hops.

Reports from Fume stated that Admiral Rizzo, commander of the Italian force there has gone on board a destroyer and proposed occupying Zebirco.

KEISLER IN HOSPITAL

One of Scotland Minister, Missing, Is Located in Milwaukee.

Word was received at Scotland last evening that Donald Keisler, son of Dr. and Mrs. Lawrence Keisler, who was reported missing, was in a hospital in Milwaukee.

Mr. Keisler was reported to have disappeared while on his way from Madison, Wis., to Mount Pleasant, Pa., to spend Thanksgiving.

Skunk Kules Business.

WASHINGTON, Pa., Dec. 1.—Somebody dropped a skunk at Chestnut and Franklin streets last night and the carcass was ground under the wheels of a street car. For hours the infuriated mob remained there and so did the small business of the merchants located in the adjacent area, which is just one block from the center of the town, was at a standstill.

New Green County Railroad.

WAYNESBURG, Dec. 1.—Eusebius Ferry was inaugurated today on the new Green County branch of the Pennsylvania railroad, from Millboro to Waynesburg. Green county work was started on this road a year ago and about three-tenths miles have been

JENKINS REPORTED RELEASED; U. S. NOTE TO MEXICO SEVERE

Consul's Inaction Called "Stupid" Attempt to Release Him in Legal Proceedings.

EL PASO, Tex., Dec. 1.—An unexpected report was current here today that William O. Jenkins, American consular agent at Puebla, Mex., had been liberated from jail. Andres Garcia, consul general for Mexico here, said he had heard the report but no verification of the rumor had been received.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—Renewing its request for the immediate release of Consul Agent Jenkins, imprisoned at Puebla, the "latest American note to Mexico," made public here today, demands he Mexican government's conduct in severe terms and characterizes it as a studied attempt to ensure the American consular agent in the intricacies of legal proceedings.

No ultimatum was served and no indication was given of what the American government's course would be if Jenkins is not immediately released. The note says the only conclusion this government can draw is that Mexico has made a studied effort to ensure Jenkins in legal intricacies, divert the attention of the American and Mexican people both from the fact that the second largest city in Mexico is overrun by bandits and that the Mexican authorities have been negligent in hunting them down.

"It appears," says the note, "to have been the purpose of the Mexican government to assume a willful indifference to the feelings of the American people that have been aroused to the point of indignation by the exposure of hardships and physical sufferings of Jenkins during his abduction and his treatment at the hands of the Mexican authorities."

FRENCH URGING U. S. PEACE DELEGATES TO POSTPONE DEPARTURE

Would Have Them Remain Until Protocol With Germany Has Been Signed.

PARIS, Dec. 1.—The French representatives in the peace conference are urging the American delegates to delay their departure for home until the protocol is signed putting into effect the peace treaty with Germany. "It was learned today," although today was the date set for the exchange of ratifications of the treaty, no definite news was at hand regarding the location of the German as to the signing of the protocol in which they are expected to guarantee the carrying out of the armistice terms.

The supreme council today adopted the terms of the reply to the recent German note regarding prisoners of war. The contents were not given out.

PARIS, Dec. 1.—An attempt to make a peace treaty with Hungary through the new Hungarian government was decided upon by the supreme council today.

BRANCHING OUT

P. R. James Buys Building For New Garage at Greensburg.

P. R. James of Greensburg, formerly of Connellsville, has purchased the property of Fred Hammond on West Pittsburg street, Greensburg, and plans to transform it into a modern garage which will be the home of the James Motor company, distributors of Ford cars in that district. The new building will be along the Lincoln Highway and admirably situated for garage purposes.

Mr. James has been highly successful since he left here to become manager of the Shaw Motor company's branch at Greensburg five years ago. The business and secured and remodeled another building. Now he is still further branching out.

Mr. James was bookkeeper for the F. T. Evans plumbing firm for a number of years.

ELKS' SERVICE AT NIGHT

Mayor-elect of Chester Is Selected for the Annual Address.

William T. Ramsey of Chester, Pa., will be the speaker at the annual memorial services of Connellsville Lodge No. 503, B. P. O. E., next Sunday in the Soisson theatre. Mr. Ramsey was floor leader in the House at Harrisburg four years and was elected mayor of Chester November 4. Departing from the custom of years, the Elks will hold services in the theatre at 8 o'clock, instead of in the afternoon.

H. S. GIRLS CAN'T LEARN COOKING WITHOUT SUGAR

The domestic science department of the Connellsville high school was confronted today with the necessity of getting a supply of sugar at once in suspending the work of class so far as the use of a stove was concerned at 3 o'clock. Stanley P. Ashie was busy at the telephone during the forenoon in an effort to locate an emergency supply but failed. None was in sight this afternoon. Why towns and cities near Connellsville can get sugar and local dealers cannot is something a good many people would like to have explained. It is related a woman came home from Fairmont, Va., last evening with 25 pounds. Only representative of a Mount Pleasant dealer was selling in 35-pound lots.

FRICK COMPANY AND OTHER COKE REGION OPERATORS ANNOUNCE 14 PER CENT INCREASE; NEW SCALE IS FAR IN ADVANCE OF UNION RATE

A general increase in wages of employees of the coke operators of the Connellsville region amounting to approximately 14 per cent, or the same as granted the union miners of the country by Dr. Garfield, fuel administrator, became effective this morning. Following the posting of notices under date of Sunday by the H. C. Frick Coke company, similar action was taken today by the Washington Coal & Coke company, the Orient Coke company, the Consolidated Connellsville Coke company and others.

It was expected that during the day notices of the advance would be posted at the plants of W. J. Ralney and other independent producers, though officials were awaiting notification from the general offices in New York.

Approximately 35,000 men are affected by the increase.

The notice posted at the Frick plants reads: "An increase of approximately 14 per cent in wages, paid by this company for various classes of labor will be made effective December 1, 1919. As soon as possible a new scale will be posted."

Under the advance announced today operators in the Connellsville region will continue to pay the highest rates of pay for bituminous coal mining in the country. An unofficial compilation placed the scale 23 per cent above that paid in the union fields of Pennsylvania, West Virginia and the central West prior to the 11 per cent advance.

If the 14 per cent advance is applied to the existing scale, which has been in effect since November 10, 1917, the new rate of pay for the several

classes of work will be as follows: Frick mining and loading room and rib coal per 100 bushels \$1.01. Frick mining and loading heading, coal per 100 bushels 2.87. Piece mining and loading wet heading coal per 100 bushels 3.10. Loading machine coal per 100 bushels 1.88. Drawing coke per 100 bushels charged 1.64. Drivers rope riders cagers tracklayers barsters and timbermen (shafts and slopes) per day (eight hours) .75. Drivers rope riders cagers tracklayers (shafts and timbermen) (drifts) per day (eight hours) .60. Assistant tracklayers and assistant timbermen per day (eight hours) .45. Fire horses per day 6.84. Mine laborers per day (eight hours) 1.73. Leveling, per oven (hand) 0.21. Outside day labor (nine hour day) 3.76.

SOUTHERN MICHIGAN SWEEP BY A TORNADO; INDUSTRIES WRECKED

Miles of Electric Power Wire Levelled and Many Stacks Blown Down.

By Associated Press.

DETROIT, Mich., Dec. 1.—Scores of industries plants here and in other cities of the state are now closed or their production curtailed because of the hurricane which swept across Southern Michigan on Saturday, according to reports today. Miles of electric power wire were levelled to the ground by the wind which reached a velocity of 86 miles an hour. Stacks of power plants were levelled at many factories and other damage done that will take days to repair. The commercial interurban electric railway system in the southern portion of the state will not be returned to normal, it was stated, for several days.

Fresh tales of damage are being received as wire communication is being restored early today.

CRASH IN STEAM CLOUD

Occupants of Two Cars Injured in Accident at Lehigh.

When the automobile of Uncle Joe Bensinger, proprietor of the Arlington hotel, and that of R. W. Long, chief electrician for the Jamison Coal & Coke company of Greensburg, collided in a cloud of steam in the Connellsville-Uniontown road at Lehigh, Saturday afternoon, the occupants of both cars were injured. Mr. Bensinger sustained a sprained back. Mrs. Long, who occupied the front seat of her car, was thrown through the windshield, suffering a cut on the forehead and an injury to one of her eyes. Mr. Long's nose was broken.

The crash occurred in a dense cloud of steam that came from the exhaust of the power plant at the Lehigh mine. The Long car was badly damaged.

STOLEN LEATHER FOUND

Maryland Young Man Planned Sale of It to Pay Expenses to Seattle.

Having in his possession harness leather valued at \$150 which he had alleged to have stolen from Deer Park, Md., Roy R. Bush of that place was arrested last evening as he stepped from a Baltimore & Ohio train and this morning was taken back by Charles Savage, a deputy constable. Walter Frost, arrested with Bush, was discharged. He said he knew nothing of the theft and his statement was accepted.

Bush admitted taking the leather. He told the officers he was bound for Seattle, Wash., to see a sick sister and that he had stolen the leather to pay the expenses. He had the loan assigned to "Fred Besser," Connellsville, and expected to "sell it" here, he said. It was recovered at the express office.

JOHN LYNCH RESIGNS

Head of the Union Supply Company Quits His Post.

John Lynch, vice president and general superintendent of the Union Supply company, today announced his resignation after a term of service dating from February, 1902. Mr. Lynch has no immediate plans for the future, he stated. Two years ago, he intended taking similar action, he declared, but owing to the stress of war conditions he decided to remain at his post.

Under his management the Union Supply company, which operates a chain of about 60 stores at H. C. Frick Coke company plants in the Connellsville region, has been very successful. Mr. Lynch resides in Uniontown.

CHRISTMAS SEALS AND HEALTH BONDS ARE ON SALE NOW

Sale of Christmas Red Cross Seals and Health Bonds begins today in Pennsylvania as well as in all parts of the United States.

Christmas Seals sell for one cent each. Health Bonds, sold in denominations from \$5 to \$100. Proceeds are used to fight tuberculosis and improve the public health.

Each community retains 77 1/2 per cent of the money raised for carrying on an educational and preventative campaign establishing the modern health crusade in schools, making tuberculosis survey, looking after tuberculosis soldiers, showing value of open air schools and cooperating with the State Department of Health.

CONNELLVILLE ASKED TO BUY \$800 WORTH OF SEALS AND HEALTH BONDS

Sale of Anti-Tuberculosis Instruments Opens Today Throughout the Nation.

Connellsville people are asked to buy \$500 worth of Christmas Seals and Health Bonds, the sale of which begins today. Of this, \$250 is to be used for the purchase of anti-tuberculosis instruments. If it is secured, the 75 per cent will go toward the relief of tuberculosis sufferers in this vicinity through the local dispensary. Consequently every effort will be made to reach the quota.

A meeting of women interested in the sale will be held today at which plans will be outlined for the campaign. As usual the seals will be placed in stores and it is possible 100 women may be assigned to the task of selling them in various public places. Efforts will center somewhat on the sale to Health Bonds of the \$5 denomination. One such bond means as much money as 500 seals.

Whatever money is raised here for the fight against tuberculosis will be assured of high purchasing power. The women plan to make many articles of clothing for distribution to sufferers, as they can thus be secured at much lower cost than in the stores.

WENDER IMPROVES

Railroad Officer Undergoes Operation in Baltimore Hospital.

J. D. Wender, member of the Baltimore & Ohio police force in Connellsville, underwent an operation Saturday at the University hospital in Baltimore, for an abscess on the windpipe, resulting from a gunshot wound inflicted through mistake by Night Watchman P. J. Henneghey of Dunbar and a falling stone while working on information received by his chief, Captain R. C. Bledsoe. Wender was taken to Baltimore Friday night. He was in a serious condition at that time.

LEGION MEETS TONIGHT

Bishop Post to Adopt Constitution and Dispose of Other Matters.

Milton L. Bishop Post, The American Legion, will meet tonight in the Y. M. C. A. to adopt a constitution and bylaws and transact other business of importance. A big turnout of members is expected. This will probably be the last meeting before the permanent organization of the post becomes effective, January 1.

W. H. Showman Ill.

W. H. Showman is ill at his home, 115 South Cottage avenue.

Weather Forecast

Cloudy with snow showers tonight and Tuesday, continued cold in noon weather forecast for Western Pennsylvania.

Temperature Record.	
Maximum	1919 12.3
	1918 32
Minimum	26
Mean	42 35

The Youghiogheny river fell last night from 4.75 feet to 4.25.

MAINE HUNTERS HOME WITH FOUR DEER AND SOME GOOD PICTURES

Moose Searched and Bears and Other Wild Animals Kept Out of Sight, Say Local Hunters.

Four deer and some smaller game, also some fine mountain pictures and a lot of still ones, were the trophies of a Connellsville hunting party composed of C. A. Wagner, a R. Cox, John Whart, C. H. Balsie, and George G. Cochran who arrived home this morning from Maine after a stay of two weeks. One of the deer was a magnificent buck, which fell before Mr. Wagner's gun. The others were shot by Messrs. Whart, Cochran and Cox. Mr. Balsie did his shooting with the camera.

The hunters encountered three feet of snow in the mountains. After they arrived it rained and they froze and this made stalking game very difficult. They did not get any moose and saw but two. One was a huge cow that had been ill for several weeks, and which was later killed by a warden. The other had been brought down by a party of hunters from the West. Bear tracks were seen but no bear. Wild cats were plentiful. Mr. Wagner brought home a snowshoe rabbit and a pheasant.

The trip was without incident, save that Mr. Cox was lost for several hours when night found him off the trail some distance from camp. His companion formed a searching party and located him in the act of building a fire to camp for the night, with a wild cat crying nearby. Grouse, said the hunters, are as tame as barnyard fowl at home. They are not hunted and will come close up to camp to peer at the men.

ONLY SICKNESS OR DISABILITY WILL GET YOU OUT OF JURY DUTY

Judge Reppert Declares Court Cannot Discriminate in Requests to Be Excused.

On opening December court in Uniontown this morning, Judge E. H. Reppert made the announcement that no juror would be discharged or excused except because of sickness or physical disability. Requests for relief from jury duty have become so numerous that the court decided it could not discriminate; that it would have to grant or refuse all requests.

Each juror thinks his particular situation is more worthy of consideration than any other. Judge Reppert stated: "We all know the sacrifice and inconvenience of jury duty, especially in the cases of those best qualified for service but if we value our civil rights and privileges, we must deem it a privilege to serve."

"He who is unwilling to help sustain and uphold the law should not expect its protection," he said.

Referring to the bills of indictment for violation of election laws, Judge Reppert urged upon the jury to treat them impartially and without partisan feeling.

VACATION STARTS DEC. 19

Holiday Season in the Schools Fixed by Board Today.

The Christmas holidays will begin Friday, December 19, and last until Monday, January 5, according to a decision of the school board this morning.

This will give students and teachers the usual two weeks of holidays.

WALSH'S SUCCESSOR

Silas A. Hall of Washington County Is Named for the Place.

Governor Sproul has appointed Silas A. Hall of Berksville, Washington county, as minor inspector of the Ninth Bituminous Inspection district, to succeed P. J. Walsh who resigned November 15 to become general superintendent of the Consolidated Connellsville Coke company.

The appointment extends only until April 6, 1920, when the terms of the 30 mine inspectors in the bituminous field will expire and the governor will be called upon to fill the vacancies.

Italian King Cheered.

ROME, Dec. 1.—When King Victor Emmanuel entered the parliament today to deliver a speech from the throne he was received with loud cheers.

HOME OF FORMER CITY PAIR IN PITTSBURG BURGLARIZED

About \$500 worth of silverware and other articles were stolen from the home of Donald M. Scott, formerly of Connellsville at Pittsburgh early last week, according to word received by friends and relatives here. The robbery it is believed was the work of a so-called "gentleman burglar" who has been looting homes in the fashionable residential districts of that city for some time past.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott and the former's mother, Mrs. Mary M. Scott, occupy a duplex house in the Squirrel Hill district. The latter has this upstairs

CITY WONDERING WHY BANK ROBBERS FAILED TO APPEAR

Stage Set For Holdup Last Friday at Noon But Nothing Happened.

TINE PLANS FOR DEFENSE

Tipped Off in Advance, Local Institutions Took Every Possible Precaution to Foil Expected Bandits and Capture Them; Laugh Over It Now.

Acting in what it considered public interest and at the urgent request of the heads of Connellsville banking institutions who were hopeful that the bandits would be captured, The Courier on Friday and Saturday refrained from publication of the story of alleged plans for robbery of one of the banks by a band of five or six men, said to be among the most desperate criminals of the country. The stage was set for the holdup Friday morning. What went wrong is not yet known here. At any rate the bandits did not come or if they did reach the city they did not make the preparations that had been made for their reception and deemed it prudent not to make the attempt. It was as well they did not. From the elaborate network of offense and defense that had been thrown about the banks it is fairly safe to assume they never would have gotten away.

Noon Friday was the hour set for the robbery according to information received from the American Bankers' association. When the bandits failed to show up by 3 o'clock closing hour, it was thought the robbery might have been deferred until Saturday morning and officers were notified to again be in readiness, though the preparations were not on the scale of the preceding day.

Uniontown, too, was given a scare Saturday when news reached that city that five bandits had left Pittsburgh and had been trailed as far as Connellsville and that when the trail was lost here the belief was that Uniontown might be the objective. Late in Connellsville armed men were stationed inside the banks and out. But the robbery failed to materialize at either place and today the old daily routine was resumed.

Information that a robbery was planned in Connellsville reached the clearing house association Wednesday and immediately the machinery was set in motion to bring about the arrest of those involved. Officers came here from Pittsburgh. Armed men were stationed in every bank at the opening of business Friday morning. The banks having been closed Thursday on account of Thanksgiving. Other officers, including the local policemen and constables, were stationed at various parts of the city in close enough proximity of the banks to render aid in case of need. For the moment these officers were in civilian clothes and were strangers here.

While the tip as to what bank was to be the object of the attack was vague, the Second National, because of its two entrances, and the Citizens and Union were looked upon as the likely ones. Perhaps a heavier guard was thrown about the exterior of the Citizens than any other. High powered automobiles were stationed about the downtown section ready to give chase should the bandits get by the armed guard inside and outside the banks. The fire trucks on the West Side were also ready for use at a moment's notice.

Inside the banks there was nothing to indicate to one that was not in touch with the situation that anything unusual was going on. The guards were invisible. The suppressed excitement due to the expectation that at any minute the holdup men might appear was the only indication that something was in the air.

Since it is all over reports have reached the banks that the bandits started for Connellsville. There have been other reports that they reached the city and found out that their coming had been anticipated.

As the day wore on reports that a robbery was to be perpetrated gained circulation. By evening hundreds had heard it. Who leaked? has not been learned. The reports even gained weight as they flew about. Two citizens stopped a reporter for The Courier just about closing hour Friday and asked if he had heard the Citizens bank had been robbed.

A story without foundation was spread that a machine gun had been mounted opposite the Union bank.

Now that the danger is past they laugh about it. Nobody laughed during the lankin hours of Friday. The tip that the bandits were coming was straight enough to bring conviction that it was true. Not a bank official or clerk stirred from his place until closing hour.

The Courier had all this information early Friday morning and did not give publication to it for the reason that it was believed public interest might be furthered by suppression of the time.

Senator Prentiss Butler.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 30.—United States Senator Butler, Penn., was reported by his physicians, as somewhat better today and out of danger. The Senator has been ill with a heavy cold since the adjournment of Congress.

FORST'S SECOND ANNUAL CORN SHOW IS A BIG SUCCESS

Prizes Awarded After Examination of a Large Number of Fine Exhibits.

SAM DETWILER IS THE WINNER

Mount Pleasant R. F. D. No. 4 Farmer Given First Prize; W. H. Rankin, Scottsdale, Second; Raymond Beck, Scottsdale R. D. Third; News Notes.

Special to The Courier.
SCOTSDALE, Dec. 1.—W. H. Forst, local druggist, has closed his second annual corn contest. It has been going on for the past month and attracted not only farmers from the country miles around but Scottsdale folks as well. Mr. Forst conducts the contest each year at his own expense. The exhibitors receive a vote of thanks from Mr. Forst and are asked to contest another year when arrangements will be different.

W. L. Treager, of the county farm bureau at Greensburg was the judge, and corn was judged on the thickness of the cob, length of the grain, perfect average of grain, both ends of the ear covered, amount of perfect corn on the ear and size of the ear. A great deal of the corn was sold grain and photographing, causing the food to become mouldy.

Sam Detwiler, R. F. D. No. 4, Mount Pleasant, won first prize; W. H. Rankin of Scottsdale, second prize; and Raymond Beck of Scottsdale R. D. third. The following is the list of exhibitors: Sam Detwiler, Mount Pleasant R. D. 4; W. H. Rankin, Scottsdale; Raymond Beck, Scottsdale; Henry Durstine, Scottsdale; James F. McCurdy, Scottsdale; G. L. Meyer, Reagantown; Harry Faith, East Scottsdale; Rosey Danca, Scottsdale; W. E. Meyers, Pennsylvania; Arthur Porter, Scottsdale; Austin Rhodes, Star Route; Frank Grader, Mount Pleasant R. D. 4; Francis Beck, Scottsdale; Bingham Brothers, Latrobe, R. D. 3; Will Foster, Reagantown; T. W. Dawson, Star Route; J. W. Miller, Alverton; J. E. Newingham, Overholt farm, Scottsdale; and John Faith, East Scottsdale.

George W. Miller of the Scottsdale had on exhibition seven ears of corn, on one cob, a large ear with six small ones around it. This was named "The Seven Southern Sisters of Scottsdale." Ivan Porter had on exhibition an assortment of red and white pop corn. The winner of the first prize will receive \$5; second, \$2; third, \$2, payable in merchandise. All other contestants will receive rewards.

No Gerns.
In distilled water. Adds purity and flavor to sherbets and ices of all kinds. Delivered to your home in five-gallon bottles. Scottsdale Ice company. Adv-29-2t.

Sunday School Campaign.
Superintendents of the local Sunday schools have been asked to cooperate with the religious work committee of the Y in conducting a campaign for members for Sunday school boys from six to 16 years of age. This campaign has been planned to begin on the first Sunday of December, and placards bearing the slogan "Everybody in his own Sunday school every Sunday morning" will be placed in conspicuous places throughout the community.

Still Bringing Down the Prices.
Since Bendlers started out on a campaign of sensational garment sales there is not so much talk of everything being so high. Women know now that they can come to this store and buy values as good as they get any season. This timely sale is but another proof of this. Our sale is the Banner Ready-to-Wear event of the year. Another extraordinary demonstration of Bendlers' values that should attract every woman in this vicinity who wants to buy high grade garments at savings of \$10 to \$100. Bendlers' Broadway Ladies Store, as you get off the car at Scottsdale. Adv-29m-1t.

To Attend Institute.
The teachers of the Scottsdale public schools left this morning for Greensburg where they will attend an institute.

Notes.
We manufacture pure distilled water. Scottsdale Ice Co. Adv-29-3t.
Mrs. Anna J. Moran spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Beatty of Dickerson, Md.
Patrons of Coe's advertisers.

THE GREATEST ASSET

The Citizens National Bank Counts Its History and Principles Great.

The greatest asset of The Citizens National Bank, 123 North Pittsburg street, Conneltsville, cannot be expressed in its sworn statements. Its greatest asset is its history of honorable banking experience and the sound banking principles which it has always represented. Adv.

"KILL JOYS"
Constipation, Headache, Colds, Biliousness ended with "Cascarets."

Nothing takes the joy out of life quicker than a disordered liver or waste-clogged bowels. Don't stay sick, bilious, headache, constipated. Remove the liver and bowel poison which is keeping you head, dizzy, your tongue coated, your breath bad and stomach sour. Why not spend a few cents for a box of Cascarets and enjoy the most gentle laxative-cathartic you ever experienced? Cascarets never gripe, sicken or inconvenience one. The Salt Oil, Calomel or harsh pills they work while you sleep. Adv.

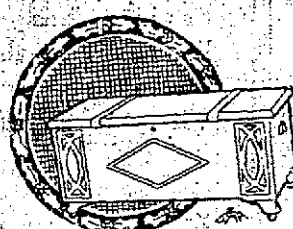
Practical Gifts Please Most

Extravagant and useless Gifts are soon forgotten. But a Gift that serves every day—one that will be a constant reminder of your thoughtfulness—that is the ideal Gift.

Over an Acre of Practical Gifts to Choose From!

Conveniently assembled on our Six Big Floors is a truly remarkable collection of Christmas Gift suggestions. They're all Gifts that are most practical and really useful—the kind that will give long-lasting service and satisfaction—the kind that will please the recipient every day in the year, for many years to come.

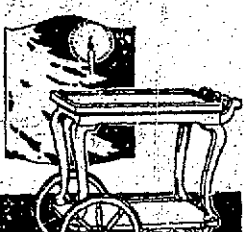
Very Appropriate for Sister or Sweetheart!



One of these genuine Red Tennessee Cedar Chests will please her most. There are a great variety of styles and sizes to choose from.

Priced as low as **\$14.75**

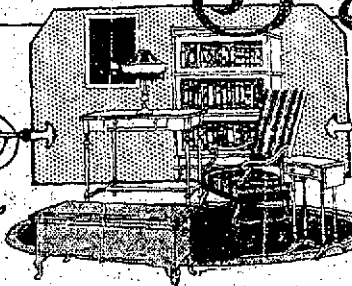
A Tea Wagon is a very useful Gift!



One of these sturdy Tea Wagons will be of untold assistance to every hostess.

Priced as low as **\$19.50**

Christmas Suggestions

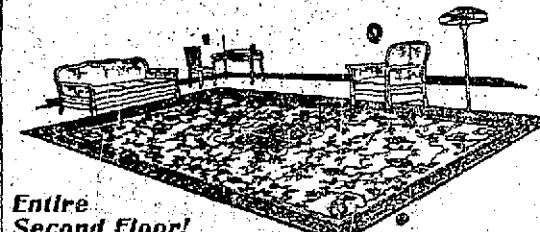


Shop Early in the Day—You'll Find it Easier!

By arranging to do your Christmas shopping now—as early in the day as possible—you'll find that you have a better selection and that you can choose with far greater ease and deliberation that later on. The Gift selections you make now will be held for Christmas delivery. Convenient terms arranged, if desired.

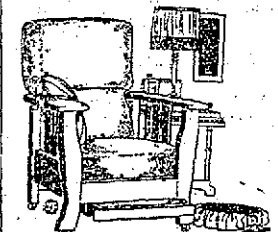
Connellsville's Reliable
AARON'S
Homefurnishers Since 1891.

One of these new Rugs will add to the Cheery Brightness of Your Home!



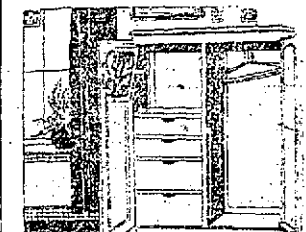
Entire Second Floor!
A Rug is one of the most useful Gifts—will long be appreciated by every member of the family. And from the many new designs we are now showing—in all room sizes—it will be a pleasure for you to make your selections. We handle exclusively WHITTALL Rugs as well as other famous quality makes.

A "Royal Easy" will surely please Him!



This Popular "Royal Easy" Chair Special at **\$19.75**
For genuine rest and comfort, there is nothing can take the place of a "Royal Easy". A special value.

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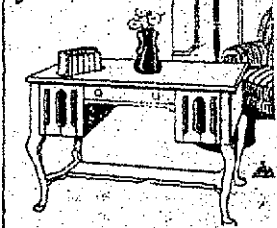
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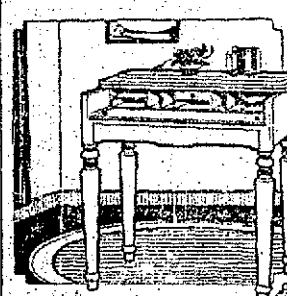
A Table that will brighten your Home



This Mahogany Library Table—Special at **\$39.50**

One of the newest designs—very artistic in appearance. Solidly built.

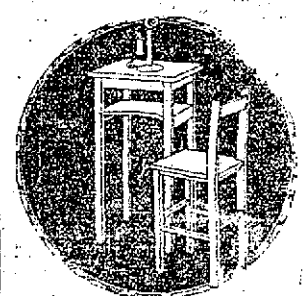
Milady will find this Gift very useful!



This Spinet Desk with Chair—Special at **\$48.00**

Here is a Gift that will be a long-lasting source of pleasure. Artistically designed.

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This Telephone Stand and Chair—Special at **\$19.50**

Substantially built from solid oak—finished in fumed.

A Music Cabinet Pleases!



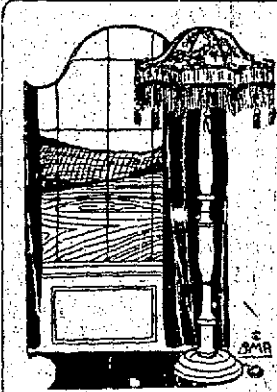
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Just the thing to keep your sheet music in order.

A suitable Gift for every Smoker!



These Smoking Stands are designed to meet all of the needs of the smoker. Can be had in golden oak, fumed or mahogany finish. And they are very moderately priced—upwards from as low as **\$4.75**



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Especially if you make your selection from the large variety of new designs we are now showing.

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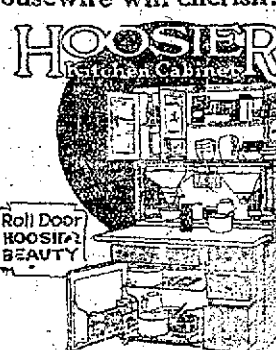
Not alone do you have the largest varieties to choose from—but you can make your Gift selections with ease.

A Gift that every Housewife will cherish!

No other Gift that you can choose will be more useful than a Hoosier.

Its many patented exclusive features will save miles of steps and hours of toil in preparing meals—three times a day, every day in the year for many years to come.

See a Hoosier demonstration tomorrow—you'll learn more about it than anything we might tell you here.

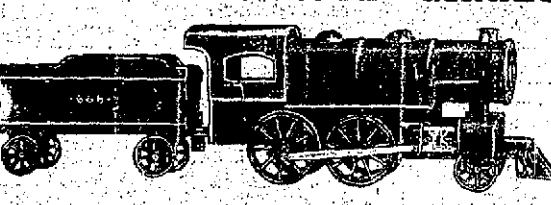


Inexpensive Gift Suggestions That Will Gladden the Hearts of the Youngsters!

A Doll Carriage for the little Miss!

There are a great variety of styles and sizes to choose from—all substantially built from genuine Reed.

They are priced as low as **\$7.75**



This Locomotive and Tender Specially priced at **\$1.10**
Heavily built to provide long-lasting pleasure and enjoyment for the rollicking youngsters.



This Toy Train—Special at **\$1.25**
Consists of Locomotive, Tender, Coach and Track—a mechanical toy that will give real enjoyment.

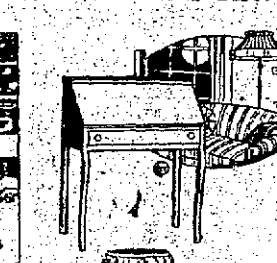
A Gift that is bound to Please!



This Shoofly—or Rocking Duck—a special value at **\$4.75**

Here is a toy that will appeal to every child. It is solidly built—an exceptional value at this low price.

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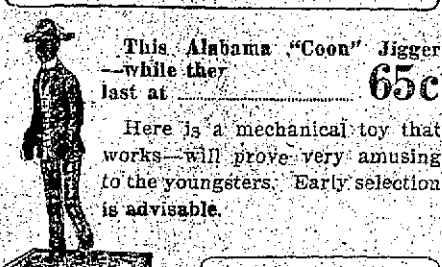
This Writing Desk—with Chair to Match—at **\$8.75**

A suitable Gift for children between the ages of 8 and 11 years. Substantially built from solid oak.

LARGE SIZE DOLLS

Every little Miss wants a doll of this kind. Pretty in appearance, and very neatly dressed. Sure to please.

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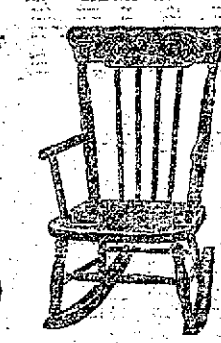
This Alabama "Coon" Jigger—while they last at **65c**
Here is a mechanical toy that works—will prove very amusing to the youngsters. Early selection is advisable.

An Automobile for the Young Man!



This "Olds" Auto—Special at **\$12.50**

Solidly built—a Gift that will be appreciated by every boy. Has rubber-tired wheels.



Child's Rocker Special at **\$1.25**

Not a toy—but a serviceable Rocker—made of solid Oak.

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This Table and Four Chairs—Special at **\$10.75**

Here is a Gift that will keep the children happy and contented. Very solidly built—this set will give endless enjoyment. Can be had in either Golden Oak or a dainty White Enamel finish.

NEWS OF THE DAY AT MT. PLEASANT BRIEFLY RELATED

Miss Coldsmith Has Exciting Time When Burglar Visits Home She Is Visiting.

BANDITS TO PLAY GREENSBURG

Local Team Will Contest for Championship of Westmoreland County. Miss Dorothy Greider Entertains in Her Eagle Street Home; Notes.

Special to The Courier.

MOUNT PLEASANT, Dec. 1.—The Mount Pleasant Bandits, the football team which has walked away with all county games, is to play the Greensburg team Saturday afternoon at Frick park for the championship of Westmoreland county. This promises to be the feature game of the entire football season in Mount Pleasant.

Have Exciting Time.

Miss Eleanor Coldsmith on Saturday returned home from Connellsville where she had been the guest of Miss Sara Wardley for a few days, during which time she had an exciting experience. Miss Coldsmith and Wardley were the only occupants of the Wardley home on the South Side when they were visited by a burglar. Much to their relief, before the visitor was able to secure any valuables, the house dog chased him through the window, taking window shade and glass along.

Miss Greider Entertains.

Miss Dorothy Greider entertained at the Eagle street home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Greider, from 2 to 5 on Saturday afternoon. Guests were present from Greensburg and Mount Pleasant. Games were played and much served. Favours were given the guests.

Entertains Club.

Miss Rachel Neel entertained the members of the Saturday Afternoon club at her home here on Saturday. Miss Viola Stevenson and Mrs. J. R. Campbell took part in the program and selected readings were given by the club members. Refreshments were served.

Surprise Party.

A very pleasant surprise party was given for Miss Amanda Smith at her Stauter home in honor of her birthday by the members of the Clover club of Stauter Union Sunday school, of which Miss Smith is teacher. Games were played and refreshments served. A purse was presented by the club. Miss Smith, those present were: G. E. Eicher, Mrs. Fleck, Reppa Solendy, Adelaide and Arline, McCloy, Little E. Boyer, Dorcie Cochran, Anna Jane Wiseman, Nellie Jones, Erma Barnhart, Nellie Arnold, Gladys Rhone, Mable Morgan, Edna Boyer, Eva L. Jones, Mrs. Will, Amy Wolman, Grace L. Mitchell and Anna Jones.

Miss Ong Improved.

Friends of Miss Adge Ong, who was ill at her Mt. Pleasant home with scarlet fever, will be pleased to learn that she is able to sit up.

Notes.

Mrs. John B. Coldsmith has returned from a visit to Mrs. Charles Hettler of Fairmont.

DRUGS EXCITE YOUR KIDNEYS, USE SALTS

If Your Back Hurts or Bladder Bothers, Drink Lots of Water.

When your kidneys hurt and your back feels sore, don't get scared and proceed to load your stomach with a lot of drugs that excite the kidneys and irritate the entire urinary tract. Keep your kidneys clean like you keep your bowels clean, by flushing them with a mild, harmless salt which removes the body's urinous waste and stimulates them to their normal activity. The function of the kidneys is to filter the blood. In 24 hours they strain from it 500 gallons of acid and waste, so we can readily understand the vital importance of keeping the kidneys active.

"Drink lots of water—you can't drink too much; also get from any pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast each morning for a few days and your kidneys will act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to cleanse and stimulate clogged kidneys; also to neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus ending bladder weakness."

Jad Salts is inexpensive; cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everyone should take now and then to keep their kidneys clean and active. Try this, also keep up the water drinking, and no doubt you will wonder what became of your kidney trouble and backache—Ad.

Perryopolis.

PERRYOPOLIS, Dec. 1.—Mr. R. E. Davidson entertained with a turkey dinner. Thanksgiving. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Chalfant of Uniontown, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Chalfant of Star Junction and Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Davidson and family.

A packed house greeted the Althea players in the high school auditorium Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Hough and son Olen, of Banning, are spending a few days with town friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Evans and son C. J., of Star Junction, were in town Friday evening.

Mrs. Blaine Frawstone and Mrs. Gough were shopping in Smithton, Saturday.

Miss Freda Hirschbaugh has accepted the position in the post office made vacant by the resignation of...

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The New Victor Records for December

Come in and Hear Them

18619—Blues (My Naughty Sweetie Gives to Me)	Esther Walker
85c Sweet Kisses	Esther Walker
18621—When the Preacher Makes You Mine	Adele Rowland
85c Granny	Adele Rowland
18623—Give Me a Smile and Kiss	John Steel
85c Girl of Mine	Charles Harrison
18624—I Love You Just the Same, Sweet Adeline	Hart and Harrison
85c Pretty Little Rainbow	Sterling Trio
45171—Tell Me	Lambert Murphy
\$1.00 Yearning	Lambert Murphy
45172—Venetian Boat Song	Littlefield and Baker
\$1.00 Cane Song (Giribiribin)	Littlefield and Baker
18617—Alcoholic Blues—Medley Fox Trot	All Star Trio
85c Jerry—Medley Fox Trot	All Star Trio
18618—Tulip Time—Medley Fox Trot	Jos. C. Smith's Orchestra
85c Yellow Dog Blues—Medley Fox Trot	Jos. C. Smith's Orchestra
45170—At Dawning	Victor Herbert's Orchestra
\$1.00 The Waltzing Doll (Poupee Valsante)	Victor Herbert's Orchestra

The New Red Seal Records for December

87304—\$1.00—A Vucchella (A Little Posy)—Italian	Enrico Caruso
64829—\$1.00—Nelly Was A Lady	Alma Gluck and Orpheus Quartet
64833—\$1.00—Caprice (No. 20, from "Twenty-four Caprices")	Jasha Heifetz
64830—\$1.00—Molly (An Irish Love Song)	Reinold Werrenrath
64834—\$1.00—La Spagnola (The Spanish Dancer)—Italian	Renato Zanelli
64835—\$1.00—Zaza—Buona Zaza (Dear Zaza)—Italian	Renato Zanelli
64827—\$1.00—The Deluge—Prelude (Le Déluge)—Violin	Efrem Zimbalist

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Georgia—Not the One You Know

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—In the crazy quilt of newly-made boundaries and would-be nations, the Caucasus, Georgia, now looms as one of the most important, because of its control of important railway lines, which connect Armenia with the world, according to news dispatches.

The National Geographic Society has issued a bulletin on this quaint people, based on a communication to The Society by Maynard Owen Williams, as follows:

"Of all the varied peoples who inhabit that rabbit warren of humanity, the Caucasians, the Georgians are most interesting. With the Armenians, they form an important outpost against Turkish dangers. The great mountains that sheltered Shaml and many another patriot have shut off the various tribes and races in secluded valleys, where they have retained their peculiar customs. Thus the mountains of Daghestan have kept that reclusive among nations, an island in a sea of history."

"But Georgia has been more or less fortunate, for the same pass that is now used by the wonderful Georgian Military Road, with its matchless views, has been the pathway for innumerable historic movements, and the valley which is now followed by the railway from Batum to Baku has been the caravan route of countless traders."

"A few miles south of the snow ridge of the Caucasus, there is a wretched little village, whose fame should be world-wide. Mitzhet has claims to antiquity that make New England towns appear as embryos for its citizens assert that it was founded by one of Noah's sons, who strolled over from Mount Ararat one day after the waters had subsided and chose this site because of its excellent drainage."

"Beneath its terraced homes two rivers unite—the clear, cold Aragva, hastening from its birthplace in the eternal snows of the Caucasus, and the Kura, silted and dirty, swinging in from the west to make its way down the Tiflis depression and across the barren Transcaucasian steppe, between the mountains of Daghestan and the highlands of Armenia."

"Damascus has a verdant freshness about it that is as deceptive as grease paint, but Mitzhet, stands out from green fields and pastures new like a weathered, sharp-bowed, fishing smack in an emerald sea."

"On a rock opposite this quiet city with the cat-bird name the kings of Georgia erected their first castle, but it was in Mitzhet itself that Georgia was born. The Georgians admit their descent from the Agadians and Sumarians; but there is nothing in their appearance or personality to indicate their descent from anything. They

DON'T FUSS WITH MUSTARD PLASTERS!

Musterole Works Without the Blister—Easier, Quicker

There's no sense in mixing a mess of mustard, flour and water when you can easily relieve pain, soreness or stiffness with a little clean, white Musterole. Musterole is made of pure oil of mustard and other helpful ingredients, combined in the form of the present white ointment. It takes the place of mustard plasters, and will not blister. Musterole usually gives prompt relief from sore throat, leonchitis, tonsillitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, headache, congestion, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of the back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frost-bite, redness of the chest (it often prevents pneumonia). 30c and 60c jars; hospital size \$2.50.



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seem to have ascended from the plane of other men.

"Militant of appearance, handsome of countenance, chivalrous and unfamiliar with hard toil, these lovers of wine, women and song are as princely in bearing as the unwashed Bedouin before his desert tent. Part of them are mountaineers—the most picturesque brigands that ever carried an arsenal at their belts. The rest are agricultural people, whose contact with the soil does not prevent them from holding their chests up like soldiers in uniform."

"The Georgian women conquered the Turkish rulers by the palace route, but the Georgian men are handsomer than their wives, and in Georgia the male wears the fine plumage. But he treats his wife and daughters well, and never allows them to act as servants."

Confluence.

CONFLUENCE, Dec. 1.—V. M. Black continues to improve from his recent severe illness.

Misses Rachel and Helen Miller, teachers in the Meyerdele schools, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Miller, over Sunday.

Will Lenzhart of Ursina was a business visitor here Saturday.

John Minder has returned to his work at Baltimore, Md., after visiting his family here for a few days.

P. W. Lory of Ursina was a week-end business visitor here.

Joe Ream was a week-end business visitor to Connellsville.

Mrs. Lloyd Fisher of Connellsville has returned home after a visit with friends here.

J. Jennings of Connellsville was a recent visitor with Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Frazee here.

Gilbert Butler of Johnson Chapel was a recent business visitor to Connellsville.

Mrs. G. W. Baker was a visitor in Berlin Saturday.

The Lutheran Sunday school is preparing for an excellent Christmas entertainment.

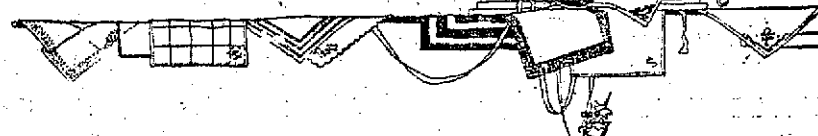
Florence Cummings has returned to her work in Morgantown, W. Va., after a several days' visit with friends here.

M. R. Oeler, continues to improve from his severe illness.

Watch our Ads this week

for the beginning of the best event of the year—just when you need help in buying, we offer Christmas shoppers untold of values.

Gift Handkerchiefs



—HAVE arrived at the Store in gratifying numbers. And it is a good thing we planned to make our Handkerchief displays unusually extensive for already enthusiastic gift choosers have made great inroads in our stocks. But we are prepared for extra heavy selling with splendid assortments of fine quality handkerchiefs for men, women and children.



Fancy Work

—displays are overflowing with ideas for Christmas gifts. As gifts of your own handwork are highly favored, we suggest immediate inspection.

Those who wish to distinguish their gifts with simple and effective initials or monograms should buy theirs early to avoid any disappointment, as considerable time is required to do this work.

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Featuring EARLE WILLIAM
Also a Comedy.

—Today and Tomorrow—

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Featuring MAY ALLISON
Also a Comedy.

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This Plan of Lots is situated in the most beautiful suburban section of the City. A 5-minute car ride; a 15-minute walk from "Brimstone Corner." C. E. McCORMICK, Box 144, will give you further information.



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At the Theatres

THE PARAMOUNT.

"THE BLACK GATE"—With Earle Williams as the star, is being presented today.

Mr. Williams plays the role of Shaler Spencer, the one-time great lawyer who has permitted himself from loss of ambition and disappointment in love to become an idler and drift on life's current. This man is seen as wandering his time in idle amusements at a racetrack and at the time a tragedy takes place there.

It happens that on his return he is confronted by his younger brother, Rod, with a demand for a settlement of the estate. Shaler is compelled to confess that through the neglect he has lost not only his own share, but his brother's share of the estate, and there are only a few thousands dollars left.

It is a dramatic scene. This leads to the desperate plan of Shaler to assume responsibility for the murder that has been committed, and to the death chair in return for a cash payment of \$100,000 to his surviving brother. "The Black Gate" through and through is a picture of the most intensely dramatic ideas is one of the strongest pictures shown on the screen in months.

THE SOISSON.

"FAIR AND WARMER"—An adaptation of one of the most successful farces ever presented on the American stage, with Mac Albion, the delightful Metro star, in the leading role, is being presented today. Its run in New York for two years and elsewhere and its extensive run in London produces it there.

The story concerns the tribulations of two young married couples. In one case the young wife complains that her husband, Billy, is so perfect that he's dull; and in the other case the young husband, though he adores his wife, complains that she's too perfect. Billy and the apparently neglected Blanche the result is one of the most absurdly funny series of situations ever contrived, ever by Mr. Hopwood, who is admittedly the premier farce writer in America.

The screen production has been done elaborately and in some instances the original play has been given an additional punch through employment of means at the command of the screen producer, but impossible on the stage.

THE ARCADE.

The attraction at the Arcade theatre beginning today will be one of the most extensive, tabloid shows playing this section. "The Passing Parade" is in reality a one night attraction condensed to meet the limitations of the Arcade stage. Billy B. Earl, owner and starring comedian, is very well known in this city, inasmuch as he played at the Arcade theatre last season for a small show. During the company's engagement in this city they will present three entire changes of program. Of course, Billy Earl will be the feature but in addition to this stellar comedian are others in the cast worthy of mention. Miss June Temperance sings and dances in a most captivating manner. Lola Gibson, the prima donna, is afforded opportunity of displaying her unusual baritone voice. Also Francis will create a great deal of laughter with his funny capers. Frost and Weaver are singers far above the average. They have good voices and know how to use them. Adele Trambue gets several good laughs at Billy Earl's expense. A chorus of 12 handsomely gowned girls are seen in most of the musical numbers.

The attraction has been playing the Princess theatre, Youngstown, for almost two months and has been turning them away almost every night at \$1.50 top. Billy Earl states that he has never before received in any theatre that his show has appeared this season and judging from the popularity here this city will be no exception.

"The Passing Parade" will take more than an hour and a half, which in addition to the serial picture, will make for a two hours' performance. The picture is the first performance of the season and will be given at 7:15 p.m. completely new will be given each evening. The matinee will be at the usual time.

Licensed to Wed.
Robert Daniel Linderman and Lydia Jones Truesler Hersh, both of Meyersdale; Edgar Lynn Cronson and Margaret Elizabeth Fre, both of Somerville; William Watson Sims of Applewall and Mary Ann Ketter of Brownsville, were licensed to wed in Cumberland.

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Says Dr. Edwards, a Well-Known Physician:
Dr. F.M. Edwards for 17 years treated scores of women for liver and bowel ailments. During these years he gave to his patients a prescription made of a few well-known vegetable ingredients mixed with olive oil, naming them Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets. You will know them by their olive color.
These tablets are wonder-workers on the liver and bowels, which cause a general action, carrying off the waste and poisonous matter in one's system. If you have a pale face, yellow look, dull eyes, pimples, coated tongue, head aches, a listless, no-good feeling, all out of sorts, inactive bowels, you take one of Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets nightly for a time and note the pleasing results. Thousands of women and men take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—the successful substitute for calomel—now and does just to keep them fit. He said so.

A NASTY COLD EASED AT ONCE

"Paper's Cold Compound" Then Breaks Up a Cold in a Few Hours

Don't stay stuffed-up. Quit blowing and sniffing. A dose of "Paper's Cold Compound" taken every two hours until three doses are taken usually breaks up a severe cold and ends all sniffing misery.
The very first dose opens your clogged-up nostrils and the air passages of the head. The nose runs freely, relieving the headache, dizziness, feverishness, sneezing, soreness and stiffness. "Paper's Cold Compound" is the quickest, surest relief known and costs only a few cents at drug stores. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, contains no quinine—insist on Paper's. Adv.

Ohioville.

OHIOVILLE, Dec. 1.—Miss Mamie Shipley of Dawson spent a few days of last week at her home here.

Mrs. Jack Hayes has returned from a visit at Humbert.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nicholson departed Thursday for an extended visit through the Western states.

Thomas Bailey and daughter, Ida, of Mill Run spent Saturday calling on Ohioville friends.

Romer Leonard, Springer Holland, Arthur Wallace, Lord Morrison, Les Woodmeyer and Earle Daniels, were among the Connellsville callers Saturday.

Sarah Rush spent Saturday shopping in Connellsville.

Mrs. L. A. McFadden, who has spent the past month at Shippensburg, returned to her home here Saturday evening.

Miss Kathryn Breakiron returned Saturday from a visit at Cumberland.

Len Fox left Saturday for Connellsville.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Z. Harshberger and children spent Saturday evening shopping in Connellsville.

Harry Leonard of Uniontown was a recent visitor here.

Miss Ada Morris returned to Snook.

REHABILITATION BUREAU

To Be Established in Compliance With Provisions of the New Law

Shas Riddle, recently appointed chief of the state bureau of rehabilitation in the Department of Labor and Industry, has arranged for the start of the survey required by the act establishing the bureau, and the reports of accidents filed with the office of the Workmen's Compensation bureau in Harrisburg will be utilized. Special attention is to be given at the start to the railroad, steel, coal and other industries where the largest percentage of accidents occur and cases will be selected for trying out the scheme in the new law.

He will make some inquiries into the system of the Pittsburgh companies in caring for injured men and at places in the coal regions.

TO AVOID GRIPPE AND INFLUENZA

What To Do To Protect Yourself

Keep out of crowds.
Avoid people who have colds.
Don't get excited when you do catch cold. Neglected colds run into pneumonia.
Take care of them.
Eat and drink moderately.
Keep the atmosphere in living rooms fresh, clean and cool.

INFLUENZA IS PREVENTABLE IT IS ALSO CONTAGIOUS

Therefore keep the mouth and throat clean by maintaining as early as possible a healthy condition of the mucous membranes.
Your doctor will tell you that for years he has prescribed and used for this purpose a gargle of warm MU-COL solution each night and morning. This solution is easily and quickly made. It is a simple, safe, and effective remedy. It is a gargle and a nasal spray. It is a disinfectant and a deodorant. It is a remedy for all the ailments of the throat and nose. It is a remedy for all the ailments of the throat and nose. It is a remedy for all the ailments of the throat and nose.

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE SECOND NATIONAL BANK AT CONNELLSVILLE, IN THE STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON NOVEMBER 17, 1919.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts, including real estate (except those shown on b and c)	\$176,741.10
Overdrafts, uncashed	6.50
U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	50,000.00
Over and under-pledged	258,309.50
Total U. S. Government securities	308,309.50
Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks)	238,106.32
Stocks, other than federal reserve bank stock	37,558.00
Stock of federal reserve bank (50 per cent of subscription)	4,500.00
Value of real estate owned	176,000.00
Furniture and fixtures	31,600.00
Real estate owned other than banking house	7,918.79
Reserve bank	70,760.51
Cash in vault and on hand	123,393.02
Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than item 16)	3,401.57
Checks on banks located outside of city or town as reporting bank and other cash items	11.20
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	2,500.00
Interest earned but not collected, approximately, on notes and bills receivable not paid due	722.01
Total	\$1,477,790.25

LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$60,000.00
Surplus fund	100,000.00
Undivided profits	90,132.51
Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid	76,615.84
Interest and discount collected or credited, in advance of maturity and not earned (approximately)	2,332.46
Circulating notes outstanding	50,000.00
Certified checks outstanding	1,317.05
Cashier's checks on own bank outstanding	2,332.66
Individual deposits subject to check	681,560.96
Certificate of deposit in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)	302.32
Dividends unpaid	2,225.00
Certificate of deposit in more than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)	25,761.21
Other time deposits	486,572.73
Total of time deposits subject to demand	\$1,272,554.14
Total	\$1,477,790.25

State of Pennsylvania, County of Fayette, ss:
I, John A. Armstrong, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
JOHN A. ARMSTRONG, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of November, 1919.
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Rockers		Brass Beds
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Hall Racks		Buffets
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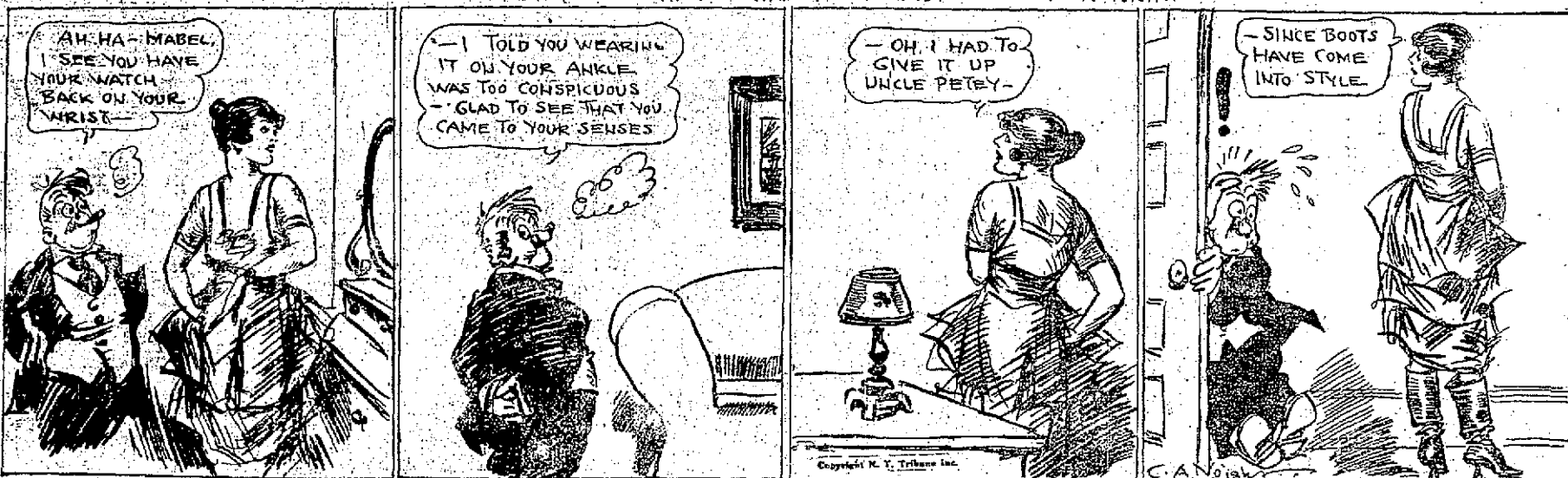
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FIGHTERS SEE BUSY WINTER WITH MITTS

Plenty of Real Good Sport in Sight for Athletic Fan.

Boxing in Particular Seems to Stand Good Chance to Come in for Big Play—Jack Dempsey is Always Ready for Scrap.

It's been a rather busy summer in sport, brethren, but unless this goes wrong there's going to be more activity in an athletic way this winter than in many winters of the past, writes Ray Pearson in Chicago Tribune. With a world's heavyweight championship—that in which Jack Dempsey knocked Jess Willard out of his title—the American and National league pennant races and the world's series which followed jolted off the schedule, the fellow who likes to dabble in athletic activity should have plenty to entertain him with boxing, contests, bowling, billiards and other indoor sports.

All signs point in one direction and that is indoor sports are going to get a bigger play this winter than for many years. Boxing in particular appears to stand a big chance for several reasons. There is no question but that the holding of that championship encounter between Dempsey and Willard in a big city in the central part of this country was a big boost for the sport.

The fact that Dempsey was returned the winner was another helpful thing, because a young man of Demp-



Jack Dempsey.

sey type is preferable as titleholder to Willard, who, fought rarely, and then only because offered exorbitant remuneration.

Everybody who knows Dempsey knows that he will fight when the opportunity presents and afterwards present job with a circus is finished he will have to do something to show that he is champion of the world; that, if we are not mistaken, has about seven weeks more of circus life ahead of him and after that nothing of great moment in the theatrical world.

He isn't the kind of fellow who can sit around and spend his time. He's loaded with nervous energy and keeps going; so if some young fellow should appear who thinks he has a chance against Dempsey, it is a pretty safe bet that Jack will make the effort to dislodge him.

LACK OF PONIES CAUSES POSTPONEMENT OF POLO

America will not get an opportunity to bring back the international polo cup lost to England just before the war until 1932. Owing to the loss of men and ponies suffered in the war, Viscount Valentia of the Hurlingham Club, of England, requested that a return match be postponed until 1932.

William A. Hazard, secretary of the American Polo association agreed in a communication to Valentia not to challenge for a return match until the time agreed upon.

TALKS OF RUNNING METHODS

Captain Jacques of Harvard Cross Country Team, Tries to Get Athletes to Enlist.

Herbert Jacques, captain of the Harvard cross country team, at his annual assembly gave a talk on different methods of running at a meeting of cross-country and track men. The Harvard track management is making a decided effort to enlist more athletes in the running ranks and the Jacques is the first of several to be given by former Crimson stars.

DEVINE TO MANAGE CALGARY

Former Western League Player Named as Leader of Team in Western Canadian League.

Joe Devine, former Western League player, has been named to manage the Calgary club in the Western Canadian Baseball league next year. Work has started on Calgary's new baseball park, which, it is planned, will be one of the finest ball plants in Canada.

TO MAKE EVERY STUDENT FIT

Aim of Compulsory Training at Harvard to Teach Various Forms of Exercise and Sport.

The aim of Harvard's compulsory training for freshmen is to make every student who enters college in the future, physically fit, and to teach forms of exercise and sport which he can enjoy in actual participation while in college and after graduation. The innovation will strengthen future Harvard varsity athletes by the discovery of latent material.

Looking Backward

News of the Past Condensed from the Files of The Courier.

NOVEMBER 23, 1880.

Detailed report of the Connellsville coke trade for the week ending November 22 shows a total of 14,248 tons in the region, of which 13,173 are in blast and 975 idle, with an estimated production of 12,545 tons.

Martin Joyce's steel plant at his Blueston quarry destroyed by fire with a loss of \$10,000.

Dr. J. G. McClanahan has had a new surgical engine and operating chain placed in his office. The engine is run by foot power and is intended for the removal of growths and tumors without causing hemorrhages, the greatest danger to a patient while under the surgical knife.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Aggie Barnett, daughter of Rev. J. M. Barnett, formerly pastor of the Presbyterian church of this place, now of Washington, to Charles M. Boyd of Butler. The bridegroom was the predecessor of J. C. Moore in a water street drug store.

John Beattie, an employee at the Buckeye coke works of A. C. Cochran & company, is seriously injured being caught under a larry while charging ovens.

Young people of Wooddale organize a literary society with the following officers: President, S. G. Glasburn; vice president, E. M. Waugaman; secretary, Julia Coughenour; assistant secretary, Emma Keeler; censor, D. W. Glasburn; treasurer, John Kiekwood.

Marriage licenses are issued in Uniontown as follows: Thomas H. Peltan, Connellsville, and Annie M. Ansell, Ohio; Charles Pore, Mount Pleasant and Clara, Keeler, Stauffer, Calmar Blaser and Otella Pickett, both of Connellsville; Thomas B. Garren, Dunbar, and Annie Dowling, Belle Vernon; Charles E. Zetter, Brownfield, and Anna Conn, Dunbar township; Elly Walton, Brownfield, and Alice Lane, Stauffer; Robert Holliday and Elizabeth Jones, both of Eversen; David L. Laughrey and Martha Harbaugh, both of Dunbar township; Charles J. J. Crona, Broad, and Mary Fuoss, Upper Tyrone township; John W. Smiley, Dunbar, and Mary Hostettler, Guilford; Charles J. Dillinger, and Emma Van Sickle, both of Henry Clay township.

NOVEMBER 24, 1880.

Detailed report of the Connellsville coke trade for the week ending November 23 shows a total of 13,998 tons in the region, of which 13,173 are in blast and 825 idle, with an estimated production of 12,461 tons.

A vacancy on the Fayette county bench is filled by the appointment of Samuel E. Ewing, brother of former Judge Nathaniel Ewing.

The Evangelical association of South Connellsville is erecting a church at a cost of about \$2,000. Rev. E. E. Crouse is the pastor.

The salespeople of the Connellsville stores organize a union, having for its object a shorter working day. Fifty persons join the union.

Josephus Smouse, aged 66, a blacksmith, is seriously injured when two young men coming home late at night drive over him.

Marriage licenses are issued in Uniontown as follows: R. Wyatt Broad Ford, and Florence Harris, Adelaide; Russell Shiley, Perryopolis, and Hattie Rutledge, Vandergrift; George T. Wilkes, Perryopolis, and Mary Clark, Star Junction; George C. Kulp and Ada Sleasman, both of Saltsick township; Lloyd Porterfield and Alice Pitt, both of Springfield township.

John F. Solson, a well known Connellsville man, dies in Philadelphia of apoplexy. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Solson and was 42 years old. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Emma Whitney Solson, and four children.

William Templeton, 54 years old, dies at his home in Meadow lane. He formerly was engaged in the banking business.

Mrs. Louisa M. Stillwagon, 53 years old, widow of Henry Stillwagon, dies at her home in North Pittsburg street.

Miss Ella Lecker, stepdaughter of Isaac Ringler, of South Connellsville, and George W. Hartman, are married by Rev. E. E. Crouse.

Harry R. Hall, formerly manager of the Dunbar Furnace, takes a position with the Virginia Iron Coal and Coke company at Middlesborough, Ky.

R. A. Moore and Devona, daughter of Dickerson Run, are married by Rev. E. E. Crouse.

C. K. Brooks and Sedit Gilm of Norristown, cut a big tree, and find 50 pounds of honey. Two pieces of the comb each measure three and one-half feet in length.

William G. Marvina resigns as superintendent of the Humbert plant of the American Tin Plate company at South Connellsville, and goes to Chicago. He is planning also to take a trip to Florida for his health.

Miss Olive Maust of Uniontown, and Miss Mary Veleher of Marietta, O., and Miss Daisy Gilmore of Connellsville, are new clerks in Koblach's store.

Officers of the Fayette County Christian Endeavor Union are elected as follows: President, Rev. George W. Jordan, Connellsville; vice president, Mrs. Albert Finley, New Salem; corresponding secretary, J. A. Glenn, Hazleton; recording secretary, Florence Baird, New Salem; Mrs. George B. Brown of Connellsville, is elected superintendent of Junior work.

NOVEMBER 25, 1880.

Detailed report of the Connellsville coke trade for the week ending November 24 shows a total of 13,825 tons in the region, of which 13,021 are in blast and 804 idle, with an estimated production of 12,135 tons.

Miss Clara Whiskey dies at the College State hospital, following an operation for appendicitis.

While entertaining in her sewing room Mrs. Susan Maust, 57 years old, sister-in-law of Mrs. Elizabeth Maust of the West Side, is stricken with apoplexy and dies in a few minutes at her home in Uniontown.

Thanksgiving turkey fowl the market. The prevailing prices are 10 cents live and 24 cents dressed.



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TWIN BROTHERS ARE OPPOSING CENTERS



Callahan Brothers Play on Opposing Teams.

One of the most remarkable rivalries ever seen on the gridiron, if not in all athletics, is that between Mike and Tim Callahan, twin brothers, who are opposing centers on the Yale and Princeton football teams.

Left—Tim Callahan, captain and center for Yale. Right—Mike Callahan, captain and center for Princeton.

Tim and his brother resemble one another in build and both also have wonderful football records behind them. The Yale captain during the war was in the navy, and a member of "Camp" Black's eleven. His play came very near gaining him an All-American service team position.

In some cases brothers are starting on the same teams. Yale has the Wells, twins, one of whom is playing a halfback position on the varsity team, while the other as a lineman on the second team is fast making a name for himself. The Horwens are two of Harvard's best backfield players, Ralph doing the punting.

Pennsylvania has a pair of titty ends in the Miller brothers, both of whom are stars of the brightest luster. Helms formerly captained the Quakers, while this is Ray's first year as a varsity player. Northwestern university also has a pair of ends who are brothers, and twins, the Marrows.

Smithfield.

SMITHFIELD, Nov. 23.—R. S. Burchinal, received word Wednesday of the death of Jesse Somers, an uncle, which occurred in Orion, Henry county, Illinois. Mr. Somers was about 80 years old, and went west from this neighborhood 25 or 30 years ago. He settled in Iowa, living there until the death of his wife, who was a daughter of Squire Hettison, who emigrated to Iowa from this town prior to Somers.

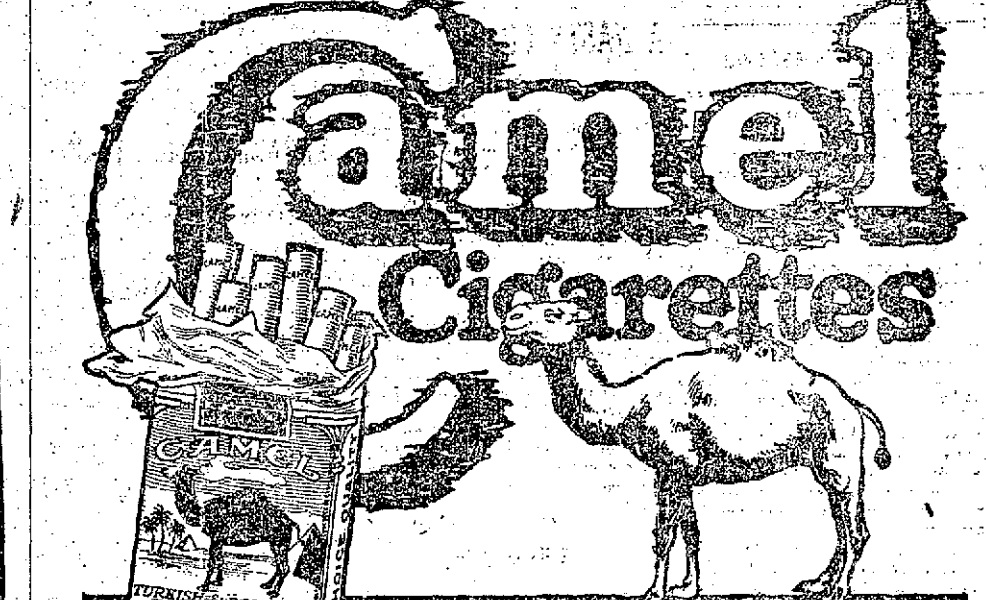
Mrs. T. R. Lynch of Fairbanks and little daughter, Helen, visited Mrs. Lynch's parents Friday.

Mrs. H. O'Neill went to Point Marion Friday and will spend a few days with relatives there and at Grants Ferry.

Al L. Glover of Outcrop was a borough business visitor Friday.

G. Moore of Andersons Cross Roads was a borough business visitor Friday.

Kurt Rankin, and bride of Mingo Junction, Ohio, arrived here Thanksgiving day and are visiting Mr. Rankin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Rankin. The young couple were but recently married at Mingo Junction. The bride being a well known young lady of that place. Mr. Rankin is a skilled workman in a machine shop at the Junction and entered the world war from there. He was given his old job upon being discharged from the military service.



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FOOTBALL CLAIMS FIVE

Fatalities on Gridiron for 1930 Season Lowest in Years.
By Associated Press.
CHICAGO, Nov. 20.—The roughest of American outdoor sports claimed five victims during the 1930 season which practically closed with Thanksgiving Day games, according to reports to the Associated Press today. The number of deaths, the lowest in years, was less than in 1918 and seven under the toll of two years ago.

Development of the open style of play to supplant the dangerous smashing game is mainly responsible for the decreasing number of fatalities, in the opinion of experts. The dangers of a dozen years ago, when the old style smashing game included burbling, flying tackles and vicious offensive tactics, have been almost eliminated in the new style of football with a corresponding decrease in the number of deaths.

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EDDIE COLLINS NOT YET ON-DOWN GRADE

White Sox Star Looks Good for Many More Campaigns.

Probably in Slump Such as All Players Are Liable to Encounter—Failed to Come Through in Pinches in Big Series.

Since Eddie Collins' showing in the world's series, an exhibition far below what was expected of the so-called king of second basemen, baseball followers are beginning to wonder how much longer the star infielder of the White Sox will remain at the top of his class. Many noticed signs that he was slipping in the games with the Reds. Certainly he wasn't the Collins of old in the post season battles. He looked no better than Ruth, who was not supposed to be in the same class with the American leaguer.

Maybe it was that Collins was just in a temporary slump such as all players, no matter how great, have every now and then. His playing in the league campaign would hardly bear out the belief that his life as a star has about run its course. Writes J. F. Fitzgerald in Washington Post. He played his usual dependable game during the pennant race.

But it is true that he was below the form expected of him in the big series. In other post-season games in which he has engaged he has outdone himself. And this failure to



Eddie Collins.

come through in the pinches against the Reds is no doubt what has started the fans to wondering if, like all other great players, Collins is finally coming to the end of his rope in the big show.

As ages go, Collins is still a young man. He is only thirty-two, but for a ball player, and particularly an infielder, that is a rather ripe age. And as service goes he is one of the real veterans in the big leagues. He has been playing professional baseball since 1908. He has seen 13 seasons come and go in the national pastime.

POUGHKEEPSIE COURSE IS SHORTENED A MILE

For the first time in the twenty-two years of its history, the varsity race at the Poughkeepsie regatta, next June, will be for three miles instead of the traditional four. The new course probably will start at the Columbia boat house, one mile below the old starting point, and will finish in the same place as in the past, about one mile below the High Bridge. This announcement was made tonight by Charles H. Husted, maps chairman of the board of stewards of the annual rowing classic.

PETERSON WILL BE REFEREE

Veteran Billiard Expert Will Officially at Various Games to Decide Championships.

Charles C. Peterson, veteran St. Louis billiard expert, and one of the wisest known figures in the game, has accepted terms whereby he will officiate as referee at all games played in the halftone, three-cushion and pocket billiard tournaments which will decide the championships in these three styles of play.

INTERESTING SPORT PARAGRAPHS

Belgium has resumed trotting racing.

It is six years since the Canadian ladies' golf championship was played.

Hampden Park, Glasgow, can accommodate 150,000 persons for a soccer match.

It is said that Joe Beckett, the British heavyweight champion, is a tip-top golf player.

Babe Ruth has given a movie star without batting an eyelid, and he expects to make a lot of two.

Harvard expects to have a very promising end in T. D. Steele, who played finely against Brown.

Mexico is not without its bowling league. A sanction has been issued for a league in Tampico and has 14

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FRED PLAISTED KEEPS BERTH

Veteran Will Have Charge of Rowing Equipment at Columbia—Will Do No Coaching.

Fred Plaisted, who for five years was assistant coach in charge of the Columbia University freshmen crews under direction of Jim Rice, has been re-engaged by the Columbia authorities to serve as general assistant at the Union Boat Clubhouse where the Columbia freshmen will make their headquarters. Plaisted will not be required to do any coaching because of his advanced years, but he will have full responsibility for keeping the barges, racing shells, sweeps and all other equipment at the clubhouse in order.

Plaisted is one of the best known of professional rowers; the country has developed. He was at his prime in the seventies when the Ward brothers were sweeping all before them. He won many races, both as a single sculler and teamed in crews with other professionals. His first college engagement was with Bowdoin College, and he was in charge of all equipment at Yale. He first came to Columbia in 1910.



Fred Plaisted.

1910 and served as Rice's assistant. He continued with the Yale and White regattas last season, and was nominally in charge of the crew, although he divided authority with Eugene G. Ginn.

BAR ALL GERMAN ATHLETES

Will Not Be Permitted to Participate in Olympic Games in 1920.

German and Austrian athletes have been barred from the Olympic games in 1920 and may be perpetually disqualified from participation in all international sports.

This announcement was made recently at a dinner at the University club by Howard S. Johnson, director of "Y" athletics in the A. E. F., who has just returned from a conference with the Belgian Olympic committee. By mutual agreement the enemies of the allies will be denied admission next year, and France and Belgium will propose to make the ineligibleity perpetual. Johnson said.

The games will be held next year in an immense stadium outside of Antwerp that was built by the Germans during their occupation and used for training soldiers and army train ver-

DENIES UNION LABOR WAS TO BE GIVEN IMMUNITY

Former Attorney General Gregory Flatly Contradicts Gompers' Statement.

QUESTION OF VERACITY

Labor Leader Asserts Labor Did Not Resist Passage of Lever Act Because of Expectation It Would Not Be Proceeded Against Under It.

Former Attorney General Thomas W. Gregory has flatly denied the statement of Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, that he promised labor would be immune from prosecution under the Lever Food and Fuel Control act. Mr. Gompers, in a formal statement, declared that Mr. Gregory pledged the labor unions immunity on behalf of the Department of Justice and President Wilson's cabinet. Because of this assurance, he said, labor did not resist passage of the act.

It was under the Lever act that Attorney General Palmer, Mr. Gregory's successor, secured an injunction restraining the coal miners' hands from directing the strike called November 1 and later the mandatory order requiring withdrawal by the union heads of the strike order.

Mr. Gompers' statement and Mr. Gregory's denial raises a question of veracity, and as a result the Senate called upon Attorney General Palmer for official information on the question involved.

Without waiting for action by the Senate, however, Mr. Palmer had a search made of Department of Justice records that could find no memoranda corroborating Mr. Gompers' claim of promised immunity. This phase of the matter was set forth by Senator Thomas in the Senate November 13.

Ashbury F. Lever, author of the bill, who was chairman of the House Agricultural committee when the law was framed, said today that any weakening application was entered into with labor, he says.

"The section of the act upon which the court has relied in dealing with the coal strike, was vigorously assailed on the floor of the House by certain Representatives claiming to speak the mind of organized labor throughout the country."

"I could not conceive at that time, nor do I believe how, that any body of American citizens designed to be exempted from the provisions of an act which made it criminal to limit production of food or fuel, the two vital necessities of life."

"I resisted the attempt to strike the provision from the bill. This resistance was successful because the provision was so just as to admit of no dispute, and in addition there was back of me the full administration support and endorsement. President Wilson considered this provision as a very vital section of the food control bill."

"I have read Judge Anderson's decision as reported and feel that this interpretation speaks fully the will of Congress. It should be borne in mind that the terms of this act are applicable to the mine operators and miners."

The original draft of the bill did

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The most sweeping change in the new rules that are to be made effective by the American Railway Express company on December 1 is declared to be the one which prohibits the forwarding of any shipment weighing more than 25 pounds, if wrapped in paper, for shipment.

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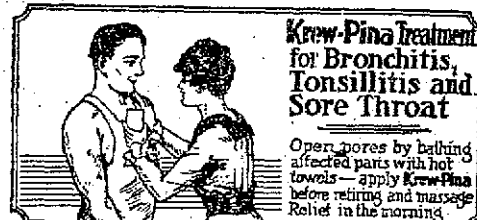
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On this early August night, he ascertained that Dave was working alone in his office. Then he called a number on a telephone.

"This is the night," he explained. "You will find him alone in his office. I will be waiting to hear from you."

"He's out, isn't he?" Well, well, he thought. Mrs. Hardy's telephone number. Then he drove his car to the Hardy house, and he found a few words with Irene, and sat down to a hand of cribbage with her mother.

Forcing over his correspondence, Dave, with his ear cocked for the cry of the latest extra, spent the evening hours in a valiant effort at concentration.

There came a timid knock at the door. "Come in," he called.

No one entered, but presently he heard the knock again. He rose and walked to the door. Outside stood a young woman.

"If you please," she said, "excuse me, but you are Mr. Eiden, aren't you?"

"Yes. Can I help you in any way?" The woman uttered a moment, but resumed soberly: "You will wonder at me coming to you, but I'm from the country. Did you think that?"

"I suspected it," said Dave with a smile. "You knocked?" He paused.

"Yes."

"Like a country girl," he said, boldly. She uttered again: "Well, I'm lost," she confessed. "I got off the train a short time ago. My aunt was to meet me, but there are such crowds in the street, I must have missed her. And I saw your name on the window and I had heard of you. So I just thought I'd ask—if you wouldn't mind—showing me to this house."

She fumbled in her pocket, and Dave opened her into the office. There she deposited a torn piece of paper, with an address.

"Why, that's just a few blocks," said Dave. "I'll walk around with you." He turned for his hat, but at that moment there was another timid knock on the door. He opened it. A boy of eight or ten years stood outside.

"What is it, son?"

The kid looked shyly about the office. It was evident he was impressed with its magnificence. "Are you Mr. Eiden that sells lots?"

"Yes. Were you thinking of buying a few lots?"

"Did you sell lots to my father?"

"Well, if I knew your father's name, perhaps I could tell you. Who is your father?"

"He's Mr. Mertton. I'm his son. And he said to me, before he got so bad, he said, 'There's just one honest man in this city, and that's Mr. Eiden. Is that your Mr. Eiden?'"

"Well, I hope it is, but I won't claim such a distinction. I remember your father very well. Did he send you to me?"

"No, sir. He's too sick. He don't know anybody now. He didn't know me tonight." The boy's voice went thick and he stopped and swallowed.

"And then I remembered what he said about you and what name."

"Here, you help— a doctor— a nurse?"

"No, sir. We haven't any money. My father spent it all for the lot that he bought from you."

Dave winced. Then, turning to the young woman: "I'm afraid this is a more urgent case than that. I'll call a taxi to take you to your father's."

To his surprise his visitor broke out in a ribald laugh. She had eaten herself on a desk and was swinging one foot lazily.

"He'll lose me in this burg. You don't remember me, do you? Well, all the better. I'm rather glad I broke down on this job. I used to be some thing of an actress, and I'd have put it over if it hadn't been for the kid. The fact is, Dave," she continued, "I was sent up here to decoy you. It wasn't fair, fighting, and I didn't like it, but money has been mighty slow of late. I wanted—how much you'd give to know who sent me?"

Dave pulled some bills from his pocket and held them before her. She took them from his hand.

"Conward," she said.

Dave's blood went to his head. "The second!" he cried. "The low-down!"

"Sure there is," she said. "There's another woman. There always is." Eiden walked to his desk. From a drawer he took a revolver, toyed with it a moment in his hands, broke it open, crushed it full of cartridges, and thrust it in his pocket.

"Believe me, Dave," she said,

"If Conward turns up missing I won't know a thing—not a d— thing!"

For a moment he stood irresolute. He could only guess what Conward's plan had been; but that it had been diabolical and cowardly, and that it concerned Irene, he had no doubt. His impulse was to immediately confront Conward, force a confession, and deal with him as the occasion might seem to require. But his eye fell on the boy, with his shock of brown hair and wistful, half-frightened face.

"I'll go with you first," he said, with quick decision. Then to the girl, "Sorry I must turn you out, but this case is urgent."

"That's all right," she said. "I'm used to being turned out." And before he knew it she was in the street.

"All right, son," said Dave, taking up the matter now in hand. "What's your name—your first name?"

"Charlie."

"And your address?"

The boy mentioned a distant subdivision.

"That is out, isn't it? Well, we'll take this car. I guess I'd better call a doctor at once."

He went to the telephone and gave some directions. Then he and the boy walked to a garage and in a few moments were humming along the city streets into the country. Dave had already become engrossed in his errand of mercy and his rage at Conward, if not forgotten, was temporarily dismissed from his mind.

"He chatted with the boy."

"You go to school?"

"Not this year. Father has been too sick. Of course, these are holidays, and he says he'll be all right before they're over."

Dave smiled grimly. "The incurable optimism of it!" he murmured to himself. Then, outwardly: "Of course he will. We'll fix him up in no time with a good doctor and a good nurse."

They drove on through the calm night, leaving the city streets behind and following what was little more than a country trail. Here and there they bumped over pieces of graded street, infinitely rougher than the natural prairie; once Dave dropped his front wheels into a collapsing water trench, once he just grazed an isolated hydrant.

"And this is one of our choice residential subdivisions," he said to himself. "Fine business! Fine business!"

As the journey continued the sense of self-reproach which had been static to him for many months became more insistent. The intrusion of Conward into his mind sent the blood to his head, but at that moment his reflections were cut short by the boy.

"We will have to get out here," he said. "The bridge is gone."

Investigation proved him to be right. A bridge over a small stream had collapsed and was slowly disintegrating amid its own wreckage. Dave ran the car a little to one side of the road, locked the switch, and walked on with the boy.

"Fine business!" Dave repeated to himself. "And this is how our big success was made. Well, the 'success' has vanished as quickly as it came. I suppose there is a law somewhere that is not mocked."

They were passing through a settlement of crude houses, dimly visible in the starlight and by occasional yellow blurs from their windows. Before one of the meanest of these the boy at last stopped, pulled the door open and Dave entered. At first he was conscious of a very small and stuffy room, with a peculiar odor which he attributed to an oil lamp burning on a box. He walked over and turned the lamp up, but the oil was consumed; a red, sullen, smothering light was its only response. Then he felt in his pocket and struck a match.

The light revealed the dimness of the little room. There was a bed covered with musty, ragged clothing; a table littered with broken and dirty dishes and pieces of stale food; a stove, cracked and greasy, and one or two bary boxes serving as articles of furniture. But it was to the bed Dave turned, and with another match bent over the shrunken form that lay almost concealed amid the coarse coverings. He brought his face down, closer, then straightened up and stared at himself in a moment.

"He'll soon be well, don't you think, mister?" He said; he would be well when the holidays—

But Dave's expression stopped the boy, whose own face went suddenly wild with fear. "He is well now, Charlie," he said, as steadily as he could. "It's all holidays now for him."

The match had burned out and the room was in utter darkness. Dave heard the child drawing his feet across the floor, then suddenly whimpering like a thing that had been mortally hurt. He groped toward him, and at length his fingers found his shock of hair. He drew the boy slowly into his arms, then very, very light.

"After all, they were orphans together."

"They'll come with me," he said at length. "I'll see that you are provided for. The doctor will soon be here, or we will meet him on the way, and he will make the arrangements for the arrangements that have to be made, you know."

They retraced their steps toward the town, meeting the doctor at the broken bridge. Dave exchanged a few words with him in low tones, and they passed on. Soon they were swinging again through the city streets. Even with the developments of the evening pressing heavily upon his mind Dave could not resist the temptation to stop and listen for a moment to bulletins being read through a megaphone.

The kaiser has stripped off his British regalia, said the announcer. "It says he will never again wear a British uniform."

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street voices caught up the chorus. Within a year the homes of many in that thoughtless crowd, bleaching on the fields of Flanders, showed how much they owed to Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

Dave drove direct to the Hardy home. After some delay Irene met him at the door, and Dave explained the situation in a few words. "We must take care of him, Recchie," he said. "I feel a personal responsibility."

"Of course we will take him," she answered. "He will live here until we have a home place of our own." Her face was bright with something which was not tenderness. "Bring him upstairs. We will allow him a room and introduce him first to the bathroom. And tomorrow we shall have an excursion downtown, and get some new clothes for Charlie—Eiden."

As they moved up the stairs Conward, who had been in another room in conversation with Mrs. Hardy, followed them unseen. The evening had been a long one for Conward. For three hours he had awaited word that his victim had been trapped, and for three hours no word had come. If his plans had miscarried, if Dave had discovered the plot, well— And here at length was Dave, engrossed in a very different matter. Conward followed them up the stairs.

Irene and Dave chatted with the boy for a few moments, then Irene turned to some arrangements for his comfort and Dave started downstairs. In the passage he was met by Conward.

"What are you doing here?" Dave demanded, as he felt his head beginning to swim in anger.

Conward leered only the more intensely, and walked down the stairs beside him. At the foot he coolly lit another cigarette. He held the match before him and calmly watched it burn out. Then he extended it toward Dave.

"You remember, sir, water. Eiden. I present you with a burned-out match."

"You liar!" cried Dave. "You infamous liar!"

"Ask her," Conward replied. "She will deny it, of course. All women do."

Dave felt his muscles tighten, and knew that in a moment he would tear his victim to pieces. As his clenched fist came to the side of his body it struck something hard. His revolver! He had forgotten; he was not in the habit of carrying it. In an instant he had Conward covered.

Dave did not press the trigger at once. He took a fierce delight in torturing the man who had wrecked his life—even while he told himself he could not believe his boast. Now he watched the "good" fade from Conward's cheek; the eyes stand out in his face; the livid blotches more vivid still; the cigarette drop from his nerveless lips.

"You are a brave man, Conward," he said; and there was the rasp of hate and contempt in his voice. "You are a very brave man."

Mrs. Hardy, sensing something wrong, came out from her sitting room. With a little cry she swooned away.

Conward tried to speak, but words stuck in his throat. With a dry tongue he licked his dried lips.

"Do you believe in hell, Conward?" Dave continued. "I've always had some doubt myself, but in thirty seconds—you'll know."

Irene appeared on the stairway. For a moment her eyes refused to grasp the scene before them. Conward cowering terror-stricken; Dave

stare, steady, implacable, with his revolver, fixed on Conward's brain. Through some strange whim of her mind she thought that, instant flew back to the bottles on the posts of the Eiden ranch, and Dave, breaking five out of six on the gallop. Then suddenly she became aware of one thing only. A tragedy was being enacted before her eyes.

"Oh, don't, Dave! Don't, don't shoot him!" she cried, flying down the remaining steps. Before Dave could grasp her purpose she was upon him, had clutched his revolver, had wrapped her arms about his. "Don't, don't, Dave!" she pleaded. "For my sake don't do that!"

Her words were tragically unfortunate. For a moment Dave stood as one paralyzed; then his heart dried up within him.

"So that's the way of it!" he said, as he broke her grip, and the horror in his own eyes would not let him send the sudden horror in a fury of rocklessness. His mind was numbed; it was incapable of asserting thoughts and placing them in proper relationship to one another. He was soon out of the city, roaring through the still autumn night with undiminished speed.

Over tortuous country roads, across sudden bridges, along slippery hill-sides, through black bluffs of scrub land, in some strange way he tried to drop the upper in his soul in the frenzy of the steep that quivered beneath him. On and on into the night, Bright stars gleamed overhead; a soft breeze pressed against his face; it was such a night as he had driven a year ago, with Bert Morrison. Was that only a year ago? And what had happened? Where had he been? Oh, to bring the boy—Charlie, the boy. What was that? Eiden, the cat? Heaven his mind was already attempting to establish a sequence, to set its outraged home again in order.

Suddenly the car skidded on a slippery hillside, turned from the road, plowed through a clump of scrub, floundered against a dark obstruction, poised a moment on two wheels, turned around, and stopped. The shock brought Dave to his senses. He sat on the running board and stared at a long while into the darkness.

"No use being a d—d fool, anyway, Dave," he said to himself at length. "I got it—where I didn't expect it—but I guess that's the way with everyone." He tried to philosophize; to get a fresh grip on himself. "Where are we, anyway?" he continued. "This country looks familiar." He got up again and walked about, feeling a thrill of pride as the faithful gears engaged, and the car climbed back to its place on the trail. Was all faithfulness, then, in things of steel and iron, and none in flesh and blood? He followed the trail. Why stop now? The long-forlorn ranch buildings lay across the stream, and behind the tongue of spruce trees, unless some wandering footfall fire had destroyed them. He tormented the stream without difficulty. That was where he had carried her out. He felt his way slowly along the old fence. That was where she had set up bottles for his marksmanship.

He stopped where the struggling gate should be and walked carefully into the yard. That was where she had first called him Dave. Then he found the doorstep and sat down to wait.

His eyes were well up he arose and walked about. His lips were parched; he found himself nibbling then with his teeth, so he went to the stream. He was thirsty, but he drank only a mouthful; the water was flat and lispid.

The old cabin was in better repair than he would have thought. He sprung the door open. It was musty and strong with cobwebs. He did not go in but sat down and tried to think.

Later he walked up the canyon. He must have walked swiftly, for the sun was not yet at the meridian when he found himself at the little nook in the rock where he and Irene had sat that afternoon when they had first laid their hearts open to each other. Suddenly one remark stood up in his memory. "The day is coming," she had said, "when our country will want men who can shoot and ride." And he had said, "Well, when it does it can call on me." And today the country did want men who could shoot and ride; and he had done both the toothless to nurse a broken heart. Broken hearts can fight as well as whole ones. He could be of some use yet. At any rate there was a way out.

Some whim led him through the grove of spruce trees on his way back to the ranch. Here, in an open space, he looked about, kicking up the dry grass. At length his toe disturbed a few bleached bones, and he stood, and looked, with unseeing eyes far across the shimmering valley.

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Defending the anti-strike clauses of the Cummins railroad reorganization bill, which has aroused the bitter opposition of organized labor, Senator Cummins, of Iowa, has made an individual report to the Senate, in which he declares that in the interest of the public welfare generally strikes and lockouts in the nation's transportation system must stop.

"The Senator makes it plain that the report is his own work and he alone must be held responsible for it, inasmuch as it has never been submitted to the Interstate Commerce Committee, of which he is chairman.

Senator Cummins addresses a word directly to the railway unions stating that the action of the committee was in no way hostile to union labor or opposed to collective bargaining and adding that the unions can be made more effective in securing justice under the proposed labor clauses of the bill than through the medium of strikes. He expresses the belief that "when the best of the immediate conflict over this legislation has subsided, a great majority of railway workers will hail the substitution of intelligent and impartial tribunals, which will render justice to them, for the right to enter into no agreement, or combination to destroy transportation, as a deliverance, and as a better way to secure what rightly belongs to them than the methods they have heretofore employed."

The report, says, in reference to "Labor Provisions:

"Hitherto, the government has not undertaken to adjust the disputes which have so disturbed the field of transportation and which, premises, to be still more serious in the future than they have been in the past. All that legislation has done up to this time has been to authorize methods for an arbitration and to present an opportunity for voluntary arbitration. After the most careful consideration, it is the judgment of the committee that the time has come to make another advance in the settlement of disputes likely to end in the suspension or restraint of transportation. This to ward step must be clearly understood in order to be justly considered. In a controversy between railway workers and railway managers with respect to wages and working conditions and which could only be settled by agreement between the disputants, the right to strike, that is, a concerted cessation of work, seems inevitable, for it is the only weapon which the workers could effectively employ. A proposal to prohibit an agreement among workers to quit their employment at a given time without substituting some other instrumentality for securing justice, would not reflect at the hands of Congress a momentary consideration. In making the strike unlawful, it is obvious that there must be something given to the workers in exchange for it. The thing substituted for the strike should be more certain in attaining justice and should do what the strike cannot do; namely, protect the great masses of the people who are not directly involved in the controversy. The committee has substituted for the strike the justice which will be administered by the tribunals created in the bill for adjustment of disputes which may hereafter arise."

"From the public standpoint any in the interest of the people generally, it has been perfectly clear that in transportation, at least, both the strike and the lockout must cease. This country has been so devastated, its population is so situated, its commerce so crystallized that regularity and continuity in transportation have become absolutely indispensable to the lives and health of the people and the existence of our industrial and commercial welfare. A general suspension in the movement of traffic for a night would starve or freeze or both, a very large number of men, women and children; and, if it were continued a month or two months, it would practically destroy our population. Our business affairs would be so disordered that the loss would be greater than in any conceivable war in which we might engage. It is just as much the function of the government to see to it that transportation is adequate, continuous, and regular as it is to maintain order, punish crime and render justice in any other field of human activity. It is clear, therefore, that the government must settle the

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controversies between railway managers and railway employees which, if left to be fought out between the parties themselves, will lead to the consequences just described. There is but one way in which this can be done: The government must undertake to declare, in any case, what is justice, what is fair and right, between the parties to the dispute, and then there must be no concerted refusal or conspiracy among those whose rights have been adjudged for the purpose of coercing either of the parties to the dispute into another and different settlement."

SHORT DAY IN BRITISH COAL MINES CAUSES A 6 PER CENT REDUCTION

Output Lessened by the Adoption of the New System Which Has Been in Effect Since July 16.

Statistics showing the result of the inauguration of the 7-hour day in the British coal mining industry have been compiled by the Geological Survey. The short day was put in effect last July 16. The survey says: "The present arrangement modifies the Coal Mines Regulation act of 1908, popularly known as the Eight Hour act. Under that act the time for lowering the workman and for raising him again to the surface was not counted in the eight hours, so that many workmen were underground much longer than eight hours. The average for the whole country was eight hours and 33 minutes. The present 7-hour day is also exclusive of the time of lowering and raising the workman, so that the men are now underground about seven hours and 29 minutes."

It was estimated by the chief inspector of mines that the introduction of the 7-hour day would cause a decrease in output of a little under 10 per cent per annum. Because of the strikes and holidays which have curtailed production during much of the time since July 16, it is difficult to determine how much of the reduction in output which has occurred since then is properly to be attributed to the reduction in working time. In the four weeks, September 1-27, the output averaged just 6 per cent less than in the last four weeks under the 8-hour day."

CITY FIREMAN L. A. MCKINNON FOR NERV-WORTH

Convincingly Reports That He Is Much Improved in Every Way.

One of Sidney's best known and most highly esteemed citizens is the giver of the following statement. L. A. McKinnon has been a member of the city fire department for 20 years and was, he says, "has weight and force."

"Nerv-Worth Co. have used some of your Nerv-Worth and I can say, 'beneficial.' I had stomach trouble. Gas formed in my stomach causing much bloating. My blood circulation was bad and at times I had dizzy spells. Since using Nerv-Worth I am much improved in every way."

L. A. MCKINNON

"In talking to the Nerv-Worth demonstrator about the matter, Fireman McKinnon added to the above that his sleep was much more continuous and restful than before he began taking Nerv-Worth, making it unnecessary for him to get up as often in the night as before."

The Connelville Drug Store and the Broadway (Scottsdale) sell Nerv-Worth—Adv.

Minims Want Games.

The Lyceum Minims of Pittsburg would like to hear from all 15 year old teams in Connelville for basketball games abroad. The Minims have won six straight victories and have not met a defeat so far this season. They have been beating the best teams in Pittsburg and any local teams desiring the Minims for their attraction should write to Stanley Cunningham, Pittsburg, Lyceum, 110 Washington Place, Pittsburg, Pa.

Just in Time for Christmas Giving To Yourself or Someone Else

WRIGHT-METZLER CO

announces its Greatest First of December Sale of Women's Fine Suits Commencing Monday, December 1, the Entire Stock of Women's Tailored and Semi-Tailored Suits—225 in All—Will be Placed on Sale at Reductions of

25% off marked prices

The sale to continue at these reductions until every suit is sold.

Because of the increased cost of material and workmanship, we have no hesitancy in stating that suits of equal quality will cost twice as much next spring as these do now.

All Suits One-fourth off Every Suit Included in These Reductions:

Suits Priced at	Reduced to
\$29.75	\$22.32
\$35.00	\$26.25
\$39.75	\$29.82
\$45.00	\$33.75
\$49.75	\$37.32
\$55.00	\$41.25
\$59.75	\$44.82
\$65.00	\$48.75
\$69.50	\$52.19
\$75.00	\$56.25



Every Suit Style Perfect, of the Best of Materials and Finest Workmanship. EXQUISITE LININGS AND RICH FUR TRIMMINGS FEATURE MANY MODELS

Among the Materials Are:

Fluo Serges	Tricotines	Tinseltones
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ALL SIZES—16 TO 31.

225 Beautiful Suits, Good all-the-Year-Round, at Reductions of 25%

The Engraving Department

offers for Christmas giving a specialized service in engraved Greeting Cards. Orders should be placed now as delivery will be guaranteed on all orders received before December 8.

Pyralin Toilet Sets

arranged especially as gift suggestions. Both the plain and the Du Barry patterns in all the various articles. For Christmas giving they will be boxed.

Toilet Requisites

Boxed for Gift Purposes. —perfumes, toilet waters, face and talcum powders in matched sets attractively packed in satin lined boxes. All the popular makes and scents.

Send the Children to Visit

"The Little Bookshop at the Foot of the Stairway." They will meet old and new friends between the covers of these Christmas volumes.

REMEMBER

To Ask for Gold Bond Stamps They Pay 4% on what you spend

Now Comes Christmas

with music as the greatest gift of all, unlocking the doors to a magical kingdom where rhythm and harmony reign.

The NEW EDISON

"The Phonograph with a Soul"

will bring into your home not merely a beautiful and artistic piece of furniture, but the loved songs of long ago, the sparkling jazz of the moment, the choirs of the greatest churches and the silver-throated singers of the greatest operas.

When your soul is harassed by the trivialities of life, you can find it again in the harmonies of the most beautiful sonatas—all the charms, all the richness; and all the beauty of Music is bound up within this marvelous instrument.

Christmas Re-Creations

No. 82171—O Holy Night, Christmas Song
Silent Night, Holy Night
No. 80507—Christmas Bells Are Ringing
Song of Ages

Hempel

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Come in and let us talk over terms with you in time to put a NEW EDISON in your home Christmas morning.

Gift Suggestions from the Art Department (Second Floor)

Powder Puff Holders	25c to 75c each
Vanity Bags	50c to 65c each
Box Powder Puffs	\$2.00 and \$4.00 the set
Powder Puff Purses	\$1.75 and \$2.00 each
Dorin Boxes	65c to \$1.25 each
Forward Boxes	\$5.00 each
Heart Shaped Sachet Bags	\$1.00 each
Sachet Bags	50c and up to \$1.50 each
Basket Shaped Puff Holders	\$2.00 each
Sachet Holders	\$1.75 each
Perfume Bottles	\$1.00 each
Fancy Silk Garters	\$1.50 and \$2.00 each
Rosettes for the small girl's hair	50c each
My Lady's Lingerie Set	\$1.00 each
Lingerie Sets	50c each
Fancy Smelling Salt Bottles	\$1.25 each

High Revels in Toyland at the Foot of the Stairway.

Many are the happy reunions being staged in Toyland these days as one after another the big packing cases sent from Santa's factory arrive and the Toys packed so carefully within their wooden depths meet once more the other Toys who arrived earlier, and here day after day, various Connelville boys and girls are finding the books and Teddy Bears, the dolls and cooking sets, the sleds and hobby horses and the hundred and one other friends of the nursery on which their heart has been set.

REMEMBER

An Early Christmas Shopper Is the Noblest of Women DON'T FORGET

Iron, Nux Vomica Rich Red Blood

Strong Nerves

All of these are found in their most active and advanced form in

DR. CHASE'S Blood-Nerve Tablets

These Tablets increase the appetite, aid digestion, and build up weak, emaciated, nervous, overworked and nervous people. They are especially valuable in cases where the blood is impoverished and the nerves are exhausted. They are sold by Druggists at 25c per box. (See page 2 for details.)

White Marvel Flour

"FAMOUS FOR ITS FLAVOR"

Buy it direct from us and cut down the high cost of living. Delivered to your depot in five barrel lots, at the following prices: Packed in wood \$12.00 Packed in paper \$11.50 Packed in paper \$11.00 Less than five barrels will be 30c more per barrel. Cash with order. E. F. BRUNING, WAYNESBORO, PENNA. U. S. Wheat Director License No. 5265726

Meyersdale.

MEYERSDALE, Dec. 1.—Dr. Brodie Lichty has returned from Chicago, Ill., where he had been for several days visiting his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Becker. Mrs. Lichty who has been visiting her daughter for several weeks will continue her visit.

Rev. Father Brady went to Midland, Md., on Sunday evening, where today he is assisting at the funeral of his friend, Mrs. Kenney, mother of Rev. Father Kenney.

Mrs. George Blake of Cumberland.

spent the week end here and at Boynton, visiting relatives and friends. W. B. Smith of Pittsburg is spending a few days here with his wife at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Shardt.

Mrs. Margaret McMurdo and daughter, Miss Grace, returned to their home in Midland, Md., Saturday after a few days visit here with their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. James Wilson.

Joseph Bala, of Rockwood spent Sunday in our city.

Philip Lynch of Youngstown, O., is visiting his mother, Mrs. Mary Lynch.

Mrs. Henry Young of Mayville, N. Y.

is a guest at the home of her relatives, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Kelley. George Stator spent Sunday visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. Joseph Grabenstein in Cumberland. Use our "Classified Ad." column.

Joseph Foley, a student at St. Joseph's college in Baltimore, Md., spent the Thanksgiving vacation here at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Foley.

Do You Want Anything? If so, try our classified advertisements. They bring results.

OPERATORS' TESTS

Movie Machine Applicants Will Be Examined in Uniontown Dec. 16.

The next regular motion picture operators' examination will be held by State Inspector James S. Durr of Connelville on Tuesday, December 16, in the council chamber of the municipal building in Uniontown, beginning at 10 o'clock in the morning. All applicants must be prepared to fill out examination blanks. The tests will be on a strictly competitive basis and all conversation among applicants will be forbidden. Applicants must submit photographs of themselves not less than an inch and a quarter square when they take the examination.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their assistance and sympathy during our recent bereavement, the loss of our husband and father. We also thank those who contributed floral tributes, the use of cars and the singers, Mrs. J. P. Kauffman and daughter, adv. Patronize those who advertise.